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BRIEF ITEMS OF INTEREST ABOUT TOWN

John Collins of Avon St., spent a day in Cambridge last week.

Miss Edna Bennet of North Tewksbury, spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Florence Mears.

Mrs. John Cate and children of Concord, N. H., have been passing a few days at the home of Moses L. Farnum, on High St.

The Andover Brass Band accompanied the Lawrence Council, K. of C., in the parade held in Lawrence last Sunday in the Notre Dame Jubilee.

R. G. Pemberton has been confined to his home on High St., by an attack of rheumatism, for the past few days. He is now able to be out however.

The ladies of the Grange are busily preparing for a fair to be held Nov. 18 and 19. There will be a sale of fancy articles and one of the well-known Grange suppers.

The first meeting of the T. W. T. Club, of the South Church, was held last week, with Miss Jennie Hinchcliffe as guest. Although the attendance was small, a pleasant evening was passed.

The entertainment committee of the Andover club met the entertainment committee of the North Andover club on Tuesday evening to arrange for a bowling, pool, billiards and whist tournament to be held during the winter.

Sufficient money has been pledged to warrant the opening of the evening school and the first session will commence Monday evening, October 25, at 7.45 o'clock. Thus far upwards of 75 have signified their intention of attending.

The T. W. T. Club will hold a Halloween party at the South Church, Tuesday evening, the 26th. A good time is expected, and not only are the club members invited to be present, but all the girls in the church will be cordially welcomed.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the South Church will give a play and readings, together with a cake and candy sale, about the middle of November. Plans are already being perfected and it is expected that tickets will be ready next week.

Mrs. Margaret Manning, the wife of John Manning, died at her home on Temple Place, High street, Sunday afternoon, after being in poor health for years. She was 54 years of age. The funeral was held at her home Wednesday afternoon and burial was in Spring Grove cemetery.

William H. Lemon, of New York City, who was a former resident of Andover, and a graduate of Pynchard School, was in town Monday, together with his brother, Edward R. Lemon. Messrs. Lemon are nephews of the late Captain Horace Holt, who was so well known to the older residents of Andover.

The Andover Natural History Society held its regular meeting in the school committee room Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. E. T. Brewster gave a talk on "An Outline of the Fauna of Andover." Harold T. Saunders spoke on "Protective Coloration: the Ocellus," while Miss Florence I. Abbott's subject was "The Fauna Card Catalogue."

The schools will be closed on Friday, Nov. 5, on account of the annual convention of the Essex County Teachers' Association which is to be held in Peabody. Among the speakers on the strong programme which has been prepared, are Pres. John H. Finley of New York, Prof. W. T. Foster of Bowdoin College, and Sec. Frank R. Speare of the Boston Y. M. C. A. The usual rates will be made on the B. & M. Railroad, good going Nov. 4 and 5, and returning Nov. 5 and 6.

James Marshal of T. A. Holt Co., sustained a painful injury Monday evening while riding home on his bicycle. Just at the corner of Maple and Elm streets, he collided with Omar P. Chase who on his wheel, was going down town. Both were thrown from their machines, and both received several bumps and bruises. Mr. Marshal was confined to the house during Tuesday. The darkness of the street owing to a broken arc-light at the corner was the cause of the accident.

Many passers-by have paused to look at the two curious and interesting documents which are being exhibited in the window of the hardware store. One is a notice offering a reward for the apprehension of two men accused of arson. This one bears the date 1870. The other is even older, going back to the year 1855, and on it is the description of an escaped negro slave, for whose capture a sum of \$400 is offered.

St. Augustines Holy Name Society of Andover, with Patrick J. Barret as marshal, formed part of the first division of the big religious parade held in Lawrence last Sunday afternoon, on the occasion of the Notre Dame Jubilee. The parade was the greatest one Lawrence has ever witnessed. The great number of societies represented, each with its flying colors; bands, and drum corps, formed a line of, at a conservative estimate, 3500 men. It took the parade about three quarters of an hour to pass a given point. Great enthusiasm was evinced everywhere along the route, and many private dwellings as well as the headquarters of the various societies, along the line of march were beautifully decorated.

Miss Marion Ring of Portland, Me., visited friends in Andover last Sunday.

Miss Emily Richards has sailed for England where she is to spend the winter.

Mrs. J. Warren Barnard is visiting her daughter Mrs. Bergstrom in Worcester.

Miss Ella Barton has returned to the moving picture show in the place of Miss Majorie Kydd.

Brooks F. Holt brought a good sized watermelon into the Townsman office Thursday morning which he raised himself.

The Sunday School of Christ church will have a Halloween party in the Parish House on Thursday evening, Oct. 28, at 7.00. It is hoped all the members will be present.

Mrs. M. A. Baldwin, who has been passing the summer at various resorts has returned to Andover. She will live during the winter at Mrs. E. F. Holts on Bartlet St.

Don't forget the dance to be run by the Andover Lodge of Odd Fellows in Pilgrim Hall, Friday evening, October 29. The same good time that is always provided is again assured.

Many of the members of the Indian Ridge Rebekah Lodge took advantage of some special pictures which Manager Teeling of the moving picture show had procured for them last Monday night.

The Swastika Club held their first winter meeting last Friday evening at the home of Miss Katherine Hannon on North Main St. A musical programme and games were enjoyed and later in the evening, a collation was served.

Punchard and Woburn High meet on the playstead this afternoon. Woburn defeated Punchard at the first of the season but as the local team has greatly improved, a good game is expected, and all of the town supporters will be given a first class exhibition.

An alarm of fire last Tuesday afternoon at about four-thirty o'clock, called the local department to the home of John Hutchinson on Summer St., where a smoke house, used in his fish business, was found in flames. No clue was found as to how the building caught fire as it has not been in use for over a week.

Robert Barrett, Frye Village, employed as teamster at the cemetery in West Andover sustained severe injuries while at work Monday morning. He was alighting from the cart, when he slipped and fell beneath one wheel. One arm and one leg were injured, but there were no fractures. No serious results are feared. Dr. Leitch and Dr. Abbott attended him. His age is about 25 years.

Prin. Alfred E. Stearns has been appointed a member of the committee of selection for Massachusetts by the trustees of the Cecil Rhodes Scholarship. The other members of the committee are Pres. Lowell of Harvard, George H. Martin of the Board of Education of Massachusetts, William Orr, Principal of Springfield High School, and Frederick C. Terry, Dean of Williams College. The examinations are now being held at Cambridge.

Several Andover young ladies attended a kitchen shower and house party given in honor of the engagement of Miss Jennie Rose King and William Edward Helliwell at Camp Alberg, Canobie lake, October 16, 17 and 18. The party was given by Mrs. Gertrude Allen, as hostess, and Misses Addie J. P. Kimball, Addie Allerton, Dorothy Kaye, Ebba Peterson, Nettie Andrews, Myra Kendrick, Georgia Shepard, Edith Hall, Emma E. Carr, also Miss Effie I. Duval and Miss Frances R. Johnson, invited guests from the Wood mill.

Timothy O'Sullivan of Washington Ave., was injured last week while playing football.

Miss Eleanor Bartlet spent Saturday and Sunday with her cousin, Miss Catherine Walton, in Wakefield.

William Hackett has gone to New Springfield, N. H., for the winter, where he has a large lumber contract to attend to.

The Andover Athletic Association plays North Andover tomorrow afternoon on the playstead. Admission, 15 cents.

A new lunch cart put in an appearance on Essex street last Monday morning. It is owned by Lowell men and is the first of its kind to be installed here for some years.

Arrangements are now complete for the annual dancing party of the Algonquin club to be held in the Andover town hall Friday evening, and a great time is expected. One of the features of the affair will be the Crescent orchestra of Bradford, an organization composed of young ladies.

Andover people do not fall far short of the mark in the point of giving. This is shown by the fact that the movement in aid of the building fund for the new parochial school of St. Mary's parish took on a concrete form at the jubilee exercises in the Opera house Monday night when it was announced that three handsome donations had been received from M. J. Curran and family of \$1000, John J. Joyce and family of \$1000 and Dr. M. F. Sullivan of \$500. A generous response was also received from the Aventine club, which promised to furnish one room in the new building.

On Friday afternoon, Oct. 28, at 4.15 o'clock, Andover school children and also grown people will have an opportunity of hearing Mrs. Mariana Furber McCann, a talented reader and storyteller. Miss Anna Chase, who has the affair in charge, has arranged a most attractive programme which consists of piano solos by Lucretia Low and Helen Higgins, and of the interesting readings of Mrs. McCann. She will relate stories of three kinds: myths of various countries, Indian stories, and humorous incidents. Mrs. McCann comes highly recommended by all who heard her here in Andover last winter and it will be well worth the small admission fee of 10 cents to hear her. Those who wish to go can obtain tickets of Miss Chase, Punchard Hall, Friday, Oct. 29, at 4.15 o'clock.

An interesting game of football will be played on the Playstead tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock when North Andover and the Andover A. A. line-up. This will be the second game of the locals and the effects of the contest practice they have been indulging in will be in evidence. The Andover team comprises many former Punchard football players who made a reputation on the school team.

The outlook for a strong team is very promising and strong organization will be tackled as the season progresses. There should be a large attendance tomorrow afternoon.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Carroll of Elm street will be pleased to know that their little daughter, Maggie was successfully operated on at the Children's Hospital in Boston this week.

Appearances would indicate that someone entered the Free church between Wednesday and Thursday of this week. The janitor found the electric lights had been tampered with and that the music cabinet in the choir room had been pried open, supposedly in search for silver. No music was missing.

One of the latest hits in the moving picture business, "A Royal Outcast," by the American Vitaphone Company will be shown at the local amusement house Friday and Saturday of this week.

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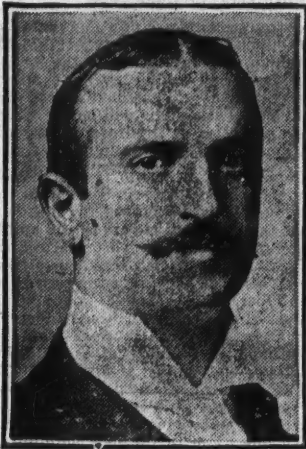
JURY FAVORS MRS. BATONYI

Decides That Beautiful Woman
Is Entitled to Divorce

DECREE NOT YET GRANTED

Verdict in Case Which Has Been Before Courts For Two Years Must First Be Confirmed by Judge—Austrian Husband Has Suits Aggregating \$1,500,000 Pending For Alleged Alienation of Affections

New York, Oct. 21.—The jury before which Mrs. Frances Work Burke-Roche Batonyi brought suit for divorce from Aurel Batonyi, the Austrian horseman, returned a verdict in favor of Mrs. Batonyi. The verdict will have to be confirmed by a judge before a decree will be granted.



AUREL BATONYI.

The verdict closed two years of charge and counter-charge between the beautiful daughter of Frank Work, the New York millionaire, and Batonyi, the Austrian horseman, who has associated with wealthy horse fanciers since he came to this country in 1899.

Mrs. Batonyi sued for divorce on statutory grounds, first alleging at least ten instances of unfaithfulness. At the trial, however, she withdrew her other charges, and tried to prove only two, which involved her husband with two New York women.

It was during a coaching trip on the box of the public coach Good Times that Batonyi met Mrs. Burke-Roche, then divorced from her first husband, an English public man of some note. A brief courtship ended in August, 1906, in their marriage.



MRS. BATONYI

A year later the news was broken to Frank Work. The aged millionaire flew into a passion, it is said, and, Batonyi alleges, threatened that unless his daughter began steps at once to free herself from the horseman he would disinherit her. Soon afterwards the action for divorce was begun by Mrs. Batonyi.

The husband retaliated by bringing a counter suit in which he named eleven correspondents. He also sued his wife's father, her sister and brother-in-law, her cousin and Work's confidential secretary, claiming damages aggregating \$1,500,000 for the alienation of his wife's affections. These actions are still pending.

Weyler May Take Marina's Place
London, Oct. 21.—The Madrid correspondent of The Telegraph says that the whole Liberal party, from Senator Moret downward, think that General Weyler ought to be sent to finish the Rif war. They are greatly dissatisfied with General Marina, commanding the Spanish forces in Morocco.

Chums Gone, He Shoots Self
Boston, Oct. 21.—Dependent upon the death of his old friends, George W. Beard, 78, a retired naval veteran, committed suicide by shooting himself in the head while in his room at the Merrimack house, where he had lived for the past forty-three years.

Student Revolt Unsettled
Bangor, Me., Oct. 20.—The situation at the University of Maine, where the students are up in arms because of the anti-hazing rule, remains unsettled. The case will be dealt with by the trustees at their meeting in November.

PARISIANS ARE THRILLED

De Lambert Soars High Over Eiffel Tower in His Aeroplane

Paris, Oct. 19.—Count De Lambert, the French aviator, just before dark last night accomplished one of the most remarkable and daring feats yet to the credit of heavier-than-air machines.

Starting from the aerodrome at Juvisy, he flew to Paris, a distance of about thirteen miles. After maneuvering over the city at an average height of 400 feet, he ascended in gradually diminishing circles and passed several hundred feet above the Eiffel Tower. He then returned to Juvisy.

Thousands who watched from the streets of Paris could barely credit their senses when they saw the aeroplane, a tiny object gliding swiftly above the tower.

Count De Lambert was given a tremendous ovation on his return to Juvisy.

AT SIXTY MILES AN HOUR

Balloon Traveled 1150 Miles Half a Hundred Years Ago

St. Louis, Oct. 20.—The controversy over the long distance balloon speed record, which resulted in the unearthing of the fact that Professor T. S. C. Lowe, head of the Lowe observatory, covered 500 miles in nine hours in April, 1861, took a new turn when it was discovered here that John Wise surpassed this speed two years earlier.

Wise's voyage, according to local records, started from St. Louis and ended at Henderson, N. Y. He sailed over this stretch of territory, 1150 miles in an air line, in 19 hours, making a fraction over 60 miles an hour. Lowe's rate was 55 5-9 miles an hour.

The discussion followed the claim that A. B. Lambert and S. L. Von Puhl of St. Louis had established a new record.

AMERICAN MAY BECOME CARDINAL

Farley, Ireland and O'Connell
Considered Candidates

Rome, Oct. 21.—Although the pope only recently seemed determined not to have a consistory until 1910, it is now suddenly announced that one will be held about the middle of December and another next spring.

It is added that the reason for holding two consistories is for appointing as cardinals in the second consistory certain prelates who cannot be included in the first.

Regarding the appointment of a new American cardinal, Archbishop Farley of New York, Archbishop Ireland of St. Paul and Archbishop O'Connell of Boston are considered the most likely candidates, while it is reported also that an American cardinal may be named as a member of the Curia, and will therefore live in Rome.

"ABSOLUTELY LOOTED"

Startling State of Affairs in National Bank in Wisconsin

Washington, Oct. 21.—As the investigation proceeds into the affairs of the failed First National bank of Mineral Point, Wis., it is becoming evident that the failure is one of the worst in the history of the comptroller of the currency's office.

"The bank was absolutely looted," said an officer in the comptroller's office. The vice president of the bank, Philip Allen, Jr., is under \$60,000 bail, charged with embezzlement of \$168,000. The cashier, a brother-in-law of Allen, killed himself. It is certain that other arrests will be made. The official reports indicate the bank carried anywhere from \$200,000 to \$400,000 of forged paper.

CANNOT SELL BONDS

Court Blocks Springfield's Municipal Building Plans

Boston, Oct. 21.—The city of Springfield was enjoined from selling \$400,000 additional bonds for the building of municipal structures, by Judge Morton in the supreme court yesterday afternoon, on the ground of alleged extravagance.

The hearing was given at the suggestion of Mosley Holcomb of Springfield, who claims that the city does not need any new buildings.

Washington's Postmaster Dead
Washington, Oct. 21.—Benjamin F. Barnes, postmaster of Washington, died suddenly last night at the home of his father-in-law, Jacob Frech, where he had dined. He was stricken just after the meal was completed and died before a physician could reach him. He was born in Nova Scotia in 1868. His legal residence was Vineyard, N. J.

Hatters Return to Work
Orange N. J., Oct. 20.—After being out on a strike since Jan. 15, 1300 employees of E. V. Connett & Co.'s two hat factories here and at Newark went back to work.

Ice Trust Jury Complete
New York, Oct. 21.—The jury for the trial of the American Ice company, charged with a misdemeanor in attempted restraint of trade, was completed last evening.

MORE ARRESTS ARE EXPECTED

Framingham Forgeries May
Reach Gigantic Proportions

LOMBARD ARRAIGNED IN BED

Town Treasurer Pleads Not Guilty to Specific Charges and Bail is Set at \$20,000, Which is Furnished—Clique Believed to Have Been Associated With Him—Cummings and Mead Arraigned in Boston Court

Framingham, Mass., Oct. 20.—Specific charges of forgery was made against John E. Lombard, former treasurer of the town of Framingham, at a bedside arraignment yesterday afternoon. The police had previously refused to name the man whom they accused of forgeries of Framingham notes. Charles S. Cummings and Edward A. Mead, the men who were first arrested in the case, are not accused of forgery.

Lombard was arraigned in his bed at his home on Clinton street. The aged man was propped up on pillows while the charge was read to him. In a feeble voice he pleaded "not guilty." Judge Kingsbury, who was at the bedside, set the bail at \$20,000.

Bernard F. Merriam, a woolen manufacturer of Framingham, and Lombard's wife qualified on the \$20,000 bail bond for Lombard, and the police guard was taken from his home. The American Surety company stands behind these two bondsmen.

From the trifling loan of \$200, made ten years ago to "hide over a friend," it is now believed that the forged notes circulated by Lombard will amount to hundreds of thousands of dollars, possibly well toward the three-quarter million mark.

Already \$325,000 of these notes have been found, and there is reason to believe that perhaps as large a number have been sold in the west and have yet to be heard from.

Associated with Lombard, it is believed, was an extreme clique who have for years been using the credit of the town of Framingham to realize on forged notes huge sums of money.

The police are now working upon another end of the case which promises startling revelations.

Lombard, it is said, knew only Cummings and Mead, but others, it is said, were in the game, and more arrests are expected.

Cummings and Mead Held
Boston, Oct. 20.—Charles S. Cummings and Edward A. Mead, who are charged with being implicated in forging notes of large amount against the town of Framingham, were arraigned before Judge Bolster in the municipal court. The lawyers finally agreed that their clients should both waive examination and the two men were held for the November grand jury. The amount of bail, \$20,000 for Cummings and \$5000 for Mead, which was previously fixed by Assistant District Attorney Curtis, was allowed to stand.

The two men were charged with the larceny of a note for \$24,122.22, the property of the Franklin Savings bank. When first arrested it was understood that there were two counts against the men, each for \$25,000 notes, but this was reduced to one count, and the amount which is named is the residue of a discounted \$25,000 note.

Neither man was able to furnish bonds.

SAYS INTEREST IS UNPAID

Holder of Promissory Note Sues Sisters of Charity For \$400,000

Cincinnati, Oct. 21.—Suit was brought in United States court here against the Sisters of Charity, styled a Cincinnati corporation, by Liston R. Lewis of New York, who seeks to recover \$400,000 and interest on a promissory note which he claims was given May 31, 1907, by the Sisters of Charity through Mother Blanche Davis, mother superior of the institution.

Lewis' petition charges there is provision in the note that the entire amount was to be paid in case semi-annual interest was not paid. Lewis charges the interest was not paid for two years. The note was given by the sisters for intended improvements.

Toadstools Cost Three Lives
Bridgeport, Conn., Oct. 19.—As a result of eating toadstools in mistake for mushrooms, Harry Sanson, 17, is the third member of the family to die from the same cause. Mary Sanson, the mother, 40, and the 10-year-old daughter, Emma, died two days ago.

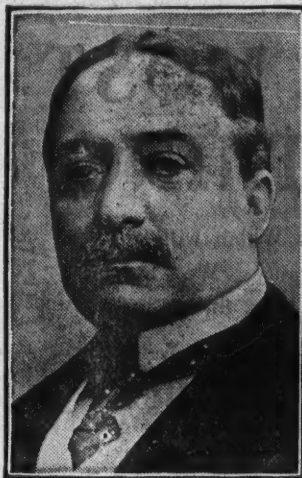
Italy to Safeguard Czar
Turin, Oct. 21.—The number of troops and police concentrated for the arrival of the Russian emperor is unprecedented. Emperor Nicholas will be with King Victor Emmanuel and the queen on the anniversary of their marriage, Oct. 24.

Would Dethrone Grecian King
Athens, Oct. 20.—That the military league meditates further designs compelling the king to abdicate is a rumor that has been current for some time past.

THE BUCHANAN INQUEST

"Death Due to Natural Causes," According to the Verdict

Washington, Oct. 21.—The state department has been advised that the body of William I. Buchanan, who died suddenly in London, will be brought to the United States on the steamship Mauretania, which will sail from Liverpool next Saturday.



WILLIAM I. BUCHANAN.

The verdict of the inquest into the death of Buchanan was returned Wednesday and is to the effect that "death was due to natural causes." Dr. Trevor, who made the autopsy, stated that Buchanan had suffered from fatty degeneration of the heart, the presence of gall stones and incipient Bright's disease. Death, he said, resulted from heart failure consequent upon the condition of fatty degeneration and diseased blood vessels.

AN EXCHANGE OF COURTESIES Presidents of United States and Mexico Clasp Hands

El Paso, Tex., Oct. 18.—The long expected meeting between President Taft and President Diaz of the republic of Mexico took place here.

President Diaz assured President Taft of his warm personal regard and his high esteem for the man who accomplished so much in the Philippines, in Cuba and elsewhere, and who had now the honor to be the chief executive of so great a nation as the United States.

President Taft declared he was glad to meet President Diaz. He was glad to know the president of such a great nation; especially glad to know the present president who had made the nation great.

Both presidents dwelt upon the cordiality of the relations existing between the United States and Mexico.

Less than a score of persons were permitted to witness the meeting of the two executives. Even these were excluded later when Taft and Diaz withdrew into an inner room of the chamber of commerce building where the historic meeting occurred, being attended only by Governor Creel of Chihuahua, who acted as interpreter.

CHEATED THE CUSTOMS

Weigher Confesses to Long Conducted System of Robbery

New York, Oct. 21.—That the United States government has been systematically cheated out of hundreds of thousands of dollars by large importers in league with dishonest customs officers was shown in this city at the trial of Antonio and Philip McClure, cheese importers.

Many other cities beside New York are affected and big men are said to have been behind the swindles. The operations have been extended over a long period of years, it is said.

George E. Birge, a customs weigher, one of the witnesses in the trial of the McClures, told in detail how he had under-weighed a large importation of cheese for the McClures and as his share of the profits received \$194. He stated that he had had similar dealings with hundreds of other firms and individual importers, large and small.

Death Thins Pension List
Washington, Oct. 19.—Death's invasion of the fast thinning ranks of war veterans caused 48,312 names to be dropped from the pension rolls of the United States last year. Of this number 32,831 were survivors of the Civil war. The total loss to the pension roll from all causes was 51,581.

Wedding Tour Interrupted
New York, Oct. 19.—Ossip Gabrilowitsch, the pianist and husband of the daughter of Mark Twain, whose bridal trip was interrupted by appendicitis, was operated upon in this city. He withstood the operation well and his recovery is expected.

12,000 Thrown Out of Work
Manchester, N. H., Oct. 19.—The numerous cotton mills of the Ameskeag Manufacturing company were shut down last night until Oct. 25. About 12,000 persons are affected.

Capitol Graft Case Appeal
Pittsburg, Oct. 20.—The supreme court of Pennsylvania allowed an appeal in the cases growing out of alleged grafting in connection with the building of the state capitol.

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REGISTRARS OF VOTERS

The following is a list of persons whose names appear on the Voting List, but have not been assessed a poll tax for the year 1909. To retain these names on the Voting List for the current year, it will be necessary to call at the Assessors' office and be assessed a poll tax.

PRECINCT ONE

Name	District
Abbott, Harry P.	West
Abbott, James H.	West
Bailey, David M.	Center
Baldwin, Fred A.	Center
Brown, E. Lemuel	Center
Bursley, George L.	Phillips
Cameron, James	Center
Carter, Edward C.	Center
Coyne, John F.	Center
Cronin, John J.	West
Cullinane, Timothy J.	Center
Daley, Patrick	Center
Day, Charles O.	Phillips
Day, Charles O., Jr.	Phillips
Duval, Jules A.	Center
Fenelon, Charles F. Jr.	Center
Fitzgerald, Maurice W.	West Ctr.
Fitzgerald, Thomas F.	West Ctr.
Fletcher, Willis D.	Hood Farm
Gage, Nathan	Phillips
Gage, Daniel N.	Phillips
Gallagher, John F.	Center
Gallagher, James A.	Center
Goff, Herbert	Center
Hannon, Matthew S.	Center
Henry, Bertram C.	Phillips
Herron, Alfred A.	Frye
Hood, Julian C.	Hood Farm
Lannon, Patrick	North
Larson, John	Center
Lyle, Herbert H.	Center
Macintosh, George	Center
McCarthy, Dennis J.	Center
Murch, Ivan D.	Center
Murch, Irving E.	Center
Nash, Thomas J.	Center
Platner, John W.	Phillips
Rennie, David	West Ctr.
Rhodes, Quincy	Hood Farm
Richards, George H.	Center
Saunders, Warren	Phillips
Scheff, Clinton C.	Center
Soutar, Joseph	Center
Sweeney, Jeremiah J.	Center
Turner, Emory	West Ctr.
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Making Money On the Farm

XV.—Locating and Planting the Orchard

By G. V. GREGORY.
Author of "Home Course in Modern Agriculture"
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EVERY farm should have at least a few fruit trees to provide fruit for home use. Where soil and climate are favorable and a good market can be secured fruit growing for market is a very profitable business.

The most important point in planning an orchard is selecting the location. The land should be naturally well drained if possible. If not, artificial drainage should be resorted to. A moderate northeast slope is the most desirable. Trees on a north slope do not start as quickly in the spring, and the danger of having the fruit buds nipped by an untimely frost is lessened. An orchard on such a slope also suffers less from sun scald and drought.

If the hill on which the farm buildings are placed is large enough the orchard can be located on the north slope and the buildings on the south. A windbreak of a double row of evergreens on the west and north will stop the snow in winter and help to keep the fruit from being blown off in summer. To complete this protection the windbreak will have to be extended all the way around, since in summer many of the heavy winds come from a southerly direction.

Air Drainage.
The question of air drainage is fully as important as that of water drainage. Cold air is heavy and drains rapidly into the hollows, while the air on the slopes is warm and dry. The difference of a few feet in elevation often makes a difference of several degrees in temperature. An orchard located on a rise of land will escape many of the frosts that cut down the profits in an orchard less favorably located. Trees on a hill are also less likely to be troubled with fungous diseases, since dry air is not favorable to them.

A soil too rich in nitrogen promotes leaf and wood growth at the expense of fruit. For this reason black prairie soil is not so well adapted to fruit growing as some other lands. Loamy clay soil underlaid with a porous subsoil makes an ideal foundation for an orchard. Cleared timberland is also very good.

You cannot expect success with an orchard if you plant the trees in a hole in the sod. The land should be put in to some cultivated crop for at least a year before setting out the trees. This gets the soil in good tilth, and the trees will have a fair chance from the start.

What to Plant.
Having decided on the location for the orchard, the next step is to select the kinds and varieties of fruit to be grown. The apple is the most widely grown tree fruit in this country. It has hardy varieties that can be grown well up into the northern sections.

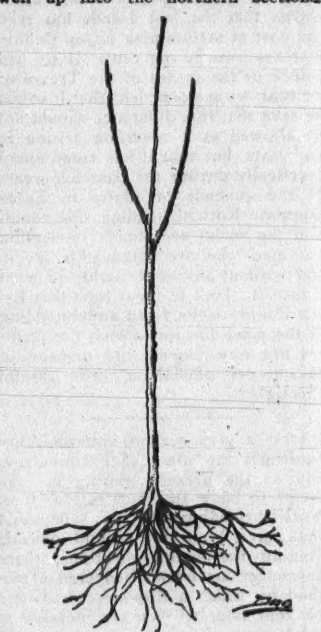


FIG. XXII.—THRIFTY YOUNG APPLE TREE.
while other varieties are adapted to southern conditions. The plum is even more hardy than the apple, and some of the improved varieties give as delicious fruit as could be asked for. Cherries are also fairly hardy, and a few trees are a valuable addition to any orchard. In the milder sections peaches and pears can be added to the list.

The question of variety is one that must be answered for individual conditions. The old standard varieties are the most reliable. Varieties that are already doing well in your locality can be depended on. Your state experiment station or horticultural society will gladly furnish you a list of the varieties that are adapted to your locality. One mistake often made in setting out an apple orchard is in planting too many summer and fall varieties. These are of little value for market; they do not keep well and are largely wasted unless they can be canned or dried. Since the development of cold storage some of the

better keeping varieties, such as Wealthy, can be kept nearly all winter. Not all farmers have ice or are located within reach of a storage warehouse, however.

It will generally pay to put a large part of the orchard into reliable winter varieties. For home use apples are appreciated more along toward spring and will bring a higher price.

An important point to consider in selecting varieties is quality. This is especially important in those grown for home use. When the fruit is to be shipped any considerable distance, shipping and keeping qualities are of first importance, and the eating and cooking qualities take a secondary place. Yield is also important.

Buy at the Home Nursery.

In buying fruit trees it is best to steer clear of agents with plausible stories of wonderful quality and yield. Some nursery agents are honest and conscientious, but so many are not that it is difficult to separate the sheep from the goats. The best way is to make your selection of varieties and then get the trees of some reliable nurseryman in your own locality. If you can go to the nursery and buy them of the nurseryman himself so much the better. In that case you can select the trees yourself and be sure of getting good ones. Thrifty one or two year old trees, with well developed root systems, stand transplanting better and are cheaper than larger ones.

As soon as the trees are received from the nursery they should be "heeled in." This is done by digging a trench and covering the roots and about half of the tops with dirt. When the trees have been shipped for some distance it sometimes happens that they are frozen when received. In this case they should be placed in some outbuilding, covered with straw and left to thaw out gradually. In this way little harm will be done.

Preparation For Planting.
The land should be deeply plowed before planting and well disked and harrowed. It is a good practice to



FIG. XXIII.—LOW HEADED APPLE TREE.

make the back furrows where the rows are to be and the dead furrows between the rows. The dead furrows will thus serve as ditches to carry off surplus water. It is better to do this plowing in the fall if the preceding crop can be got off the land in time. In the south the planting may be done in the fall also, but in sections where the ground freezes to any depth it is safer to plant in the spring. Fall planted trees are liable to root killing during the winter. In the drier parts of the country, too, the roots do not get sufficient moisture to supply the trunk and branches, and the tree is so badly dried out during the winter that it is killed.

In lands with a stiff subsoil running a subsoil plow down the row before planting is practiced with good results. In extremely hard soils a little dynamite exploded in the bottom of the hole loosens up the subsoil considerably. The hole should be dug larger than the roots of the tree and fine soil thrown in around the roots. The roots should be well spread out and the tree set three or four inches deeper than it is to be finally. By taking hold of the top and churning it up and down after the roots have been covered with dirt the soil will be thoroughly worked in around the roots. As the tree is worked up and down it is gradually raised to the proper height.

Part of the top should be cut off before planting. The top is dependent on the roots for its moisture supply. A considerable part of the root system has been lost in transplanting, and the top should be cut back to match. In planting one or two-year-old trees, known as "whips," this cutting back serves a double purpose by causing the tree to throw out branches just below where it is cut off. In trees of this kind the cut should be a few inches above where the first branches are to be.

There is considerable difference of opinion concerning the proper height to head apple trees. Low headed trees are much less liable to sun scald since the branches shade the trunk. They are easier to spray, and the apples can be more easily gathered. There is also much less damage from large branches being broken off by the wind. The chief objection to low heading is that it is difficult to get near the tree when cultivating the orchard. This objection, however, is hardly enough to outweigh the advantages of low heading.

If the soil is firmly packed there is little need of using water in the hole when planting trees. The dirt should be packed very firmly around the roots. Get in with both feet and pack it as hard as possible. It is a good plan to lean the trees a little to the south in order that the branches may shade the trunk better and also because the hardest winds in summer are usually from a southerly direction.

The standard distance apart for apple trees is thirty-two to forty feet each way. Plum and cherry trees may be as close as twenty feet. Apple trees are often planted 16 by 32 feet, the alternate rows being of some early bearing, short lived variety. When the latter trees come into bearing these fillers should be cut out.

POLICE NAME TIME AND PLACE

Suit Case Mystery Seems to Be Near a Solution

DEATH OF MISS ST. JEAN

Authorities Feel Certain That It Occurred in Shop of "Professor" Hill at Fall River, Following an Unsuccessful Operation, the Body Subsequently Being Disassembled—Girl Died After Administration of a Drug

Fall River, Mass., Oct. 20.—Police Inspector Medley, who is at work on the Tiverton murder case, made the following announcement:

"We have discovered blood-stained furniture and other articles, which establishes the fact in our minds beyond a reasonable doubt that an operation upon Miss Amella St. Jean of Woonsocket, R. I., was performed, unsuccessfully, in the office of Professor Frank Hill on Bedford street a week ago last Friday afternoon, and that she died there and the body was subsequently disassembled in that shop."

When Medley was questioned further regarding his statements he said: "Our evidence is absolutely positive that the St. Jean girl came to the office of 'Professor' Hill on Bedford street, shortly after she had eaten her dinner Friday afternoon. The examination of the stomach of the body of the girl found at Tiverton shows that the food was still in the process of digestion. The operation was evidently unsuccessful, a drug was used in hope of restoring life, and the girl passed into a faint."

"Not being a skilled physician, 'Professor' Hill, in my mind, believed that she was dead and went about disposing of the body. He disassembled its parts, packed the torso in the box found Sunday afternoon, and the remainder of the body in the telescope bag. In the evening he drove out into the country and after passing Bliss' Four Corners, he started to distribute the disassembled parts of the girl's body along the lonely country roads."

Just how the girl was killed has not as yet been determined. Medical Examiner Stimson declared that illegal treatment had not caused death.

The report of Professor William F. Whitney of the Harvard medical school, received yesterday afternoon, declares that the girl died after a drug had been administered following an unsuccessful operation. Whitney, it is said, declares that after examining the stomach of the dead girl he is convinced that she died shortly after partaking of a meal. It is the theory of the police, based on the Whitney report, that after the unsuccessful operation a drug was administered to restore consciousness after a period of insensibility, and that the girl died after the administration of this drug.

Fall River, Mass., Oct. 17.—The formal lodging of a charge of murder against Wilfrid Thibault, a chauffeur, and Frank Hill, an "herb doctor," both of this city, was the principal development in the still unexplained tragedy revealed by the finding of portions of a young woman's body in Tiverton, R. I.

Both men calmly, and with firm voices, pleaded not guilty, but no evidence was introduced in the police court and they were held without bail for a hearing ten days hence.

JAIL FOR PICTURE MEN

Chief Offender Also Fined \$500 For Misuse of the Malls

Boston, Oct. 19.—After administering a severe rebuke to Peter F. Porter, a photographer, of North Attleboro, and his nephew, Lewis E. Porter, a photographer, of Somerville, for sending obscene pictures through the mails, Judge Dodge of the United States district court sentenced both to the county jail at New Bedford.

The elder Porter was fined \$500 and sentenced to one year. The nephew, who the judge declared had been influenced by his uncle, was sent to jail for three months.

200,000 Words in Labor's Case
Hartford, Oct. 20.—The deposition procured by Attorney Davenport for the plaintiffs from President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor, to be used during the course of the trial of D. E. Lowe et al against 240 members of the Hatters' union of this state, contains 1000 typewritten pages and approximately 200,000 words.

Forty-Nine Percent More to Live
Washington, Oct. 19.—In making an appeal for an increase in salary for government clerks, General Whipple, paymaster general of the army, points out that one of the mercantile agencies of the country recently has reported that since 1896 there has been an increase of 49 percent in the cost of living expenses.

Danes to Keep Cook Records
Copenhagen, Oct. 19.—The Danish Royal Geographical society has advised the University of Copenhagen against renouncing its priority claim to the examination of Dr. Cook's Arctic records.

CRATER IN THE BERING SEA

Lake Reported Steaming Constantly and Having No Bottom

Washington, Oct. 21.—Belching steam jets in a crater lake in Behring sea, the lake constituting the greater part of a constantly changing island, whose shore waters are so deep that soundings failed to reveal a bottom except in a single spot, were reported to the treasury department.

The message came from Captain Jacobs of the United States revenue cutter service, commanding the Behring sea fleet at Unalaska, Alaska, and was in response to instructions from Washington to investigate and photograph Bogoslof Island, whose frequent changes in configuration have formed the basis of other official reports.

Several steam jets, Jacobs says, rise from the center of the lake and the lake is steaming constantly. The harbor opening on the west side of the island is now entirely closed. The lake, the captain reports, is without doubt the crater.

BECOMES A UNITARIAN

Pastor Troop Formally Deposed From the Episcopal Ministry

Washington, Oct. 19.—Rev. G. W. H. Troop, formerly assistant pastor of St. John's church in Georgetown, was deposed from the Episcopal ministry by Bishop Harding of the Washington diocese.

The ceremony of deposition took place at St. John's. Troop stood with bowed head while Harding pronounced the words which severed him from the ranks of the Episcopal ministry. In a statement given to the press Harding said that Troop had been deposed at his own request for causes not affecting his moral character.

Troop renounced the Episcopal faith four months ago and declared that he would thereafter follow the tenets of Unitarianism.

GAINED WIDE FAME AS CRIMINOLOGIST

Lombroso Claimed That Many Noted Men Were Crazy

Rome, Oct. 20.—Professor Cesare Lombroso, one of the world's foremost criminologists and probably the foremost psychologist of Europe, died at Turin.

Lombroso had long been the sponsor for various systems of scientific handling of criminals. The main argument of his teachings was that crime was a disease.

Lombroso was born in Venice in 1836, and in his early manhood was a military surgeon. He created a world-wide sensation when in a lecture delivered in Turin in 1901 he attributed lunacy to the czar, the kaiser, King Edward, the sultan of Turkey, Prince Ferdinand of Bulgaria, Archduke Otto, the heir to the Austrian throne; King Alfonso of Spain; Napoleon III. Emile Ollivier, Joseph Chamberlain, Cecil Rhodes, Rudyard Kipling and Felix Faure.

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Washington, Oct. 21.—Every one of the skins in the collection of Roosevelt trophies received here from Africa has been found in good condition by the taxidermists of the Smithsonian Institution.

Some of the trophies were declared to be among the most magnificent specimens that have come into the possession of the institution. The hippopotamus, rhinoceros and cheetah skins are referred to by the taxidermists as especially valuable additions. The hippopotamus skin is one of the largest ever seen here and is perfect.

With some skins came a complete set of bones on which they will be mounted. In that way the mount will be correct from the point of view of the scientist.

25,000 at Communion

Pittsburg, Oct. 18.—The greatest religious gathering ever held, perhaps, in the country, took place at Forbes' Field here when about 25,000 persons assembled at the ceremony of the Lord's supper, the event being the principal feature of Sunday's session of the convention of the Disciples of Christ (Christian Church).

Great Flour Output

Minneapolis, Oct. 21.—Every shipping record in the milling history of Minneapolis was broken when the railroads took out 556 cars, containing 110,560 barrels of flour. The mills have all been in operation for the last ten days and the industry is active beyond precedent.

Wedding Gift of \$1,000,000

Paris, Oct. 21.—A check for \$1,000,000 was the gift Mrs. F. W. Hoff presented her daughter, Elaine W. Hoff, following her marriage here to Everard Labouchere. The Hoff family formerly lived in Detroit, but are now one of the wealthiest families in the American colony here.

Farman Files Forty-Seven Miles
Blackpool, Eng., Oct. 21.—Henry Farman, the French aeronaut, accomplished by far the finest flight that has been witnessed in this country, covering 47 miles and 1184 yards in 1 hour, 32 minutes, 16 4-5 seconds.

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THE STATE BY A COUNTRYMAN ABROAD

A Peculiar Position

That distinguished patriot, Robert Luce, is always interesting. We do not know when he is the more interesting, whether as a reformer, assailing the lobby, fighting for direct nominations, demanding reforms in the taxation laws, proposing improvements in the conduct of the State institutions; or, on the other hand, when he forgets his ideas on reform matters and devotes his services as an attorney to the corporations that fight taxation reform, to the parties that are opposed to direct nominations, to the interests who believe that the lobby is an essential factor in legislative procedure. Just at present he seems to be delving largely in the latter field, and if reports are correct, the compensation is much more generous than that which he has ever received as an advocate and promoter of reform. While Mr. Luce is not at the present time devoting very much of his time to active politics, confining himself almost entirely to a few political speeches in support of the Republican platform, which by the way, has had very little use for a single one of his reforms, he does find time to discuss the problem of taxation.

Mr. Luce is a well informed man on taxation matters. He is one of the most interesting speakers in the Commonwealth. He usually says something that is worth hearing, and he is usually pretty accurate in his deductions. Hence it is rather surprising that in an address before the Boston Fruit and Produce Exchange on Wednesday noon, he should have taken some rather peculiar positions in discussing taxation and taxation reforms as they exist at the present time. Illustrating his contention that it is sheer nonsense to insist that a tax is a return for benefits received, he stated: "My servant girl goes out at night alone, and the police force is her protection. Do you mean to say that she pays for that protection?"

Does Mr. Luce mean to say that she does NOT pay for that protection? Following out his argument, it is very clear that he does mean that only those people pay the taxes who actually receive receipts for money contributed to the regular tax collector. Under what possible stretch of imagination Mr. Luce can lead himself away from his previous loyal stand upon the theory that every individual bears either directly or indirectly his or her share of the taxes, it is impossible to understand. Does he deliberately overlook what is recognized as a truth by all students of the problem of taxation, that the greater part of the burden is indirect and impossible of understanding, and because it is indirect and so difficult to understand is one of the reasons why it is so difficult to adjust with fairness.

Jones owns a business block worth \$10,000. He owns a piece of residential property worth \$10,000. Upon both of these pieces of property he is assessed according to their market value as is easily estimated by the assessors of the town where the property is located. He goes for business into another community, and receives a salary of \$10,000 a year. The direct tax he is paying already on his real estate has added to it a further tax upon his excess income that he receives definitely as a reward for his labor. In the conduct of his household he employs a servant girl and pays her \$5.00 a week. The price that he pays her is regulated by the cost of living in the community, which is in itself affected by the rate of taxation which he has paid as his direct and indirect assessments. Because the rate of wages for the servant girl is regulated in that manner, she is a greater or less contributor to his income, and in that indirect way to the taxes paid directly by him upon his property, and by just so much she bears her burden of the taxes of that particular town. If Mr. Luce or any other tax reformer will discover a single individual who buys coffee, tea, sugar, wearing apparel, necessities or luxuries, who does not in some form or other bear a share of the taxes in the community where he or she is under the system of taxes prevailing in Massachusetts, he will have been a Sherlock Holmes in his power of deduction, and a whole Pinkerton detective agency in his ability to solve puzzles.

It is a live problem that Mr. Luce is discussing. It is a problem that demands more and more attention each year, and it will demand it in Massachusetts as in no other state because of so many inconsistencies prevailing in this state that are now a part of the system of assessing taxes. But let no man in discussing this problem put forth the theory that the person with the small income is the tax dodger. He or she is, on the contrary, the largest contributor that there is in proportion to the income received.

THE TOWN BY A COUNTRYMAN AT HOME

What The County Costs

The Beverly Times is doing good work in its agitation of the condition of Essex county finances, and the tremendous debt that is now saddled upon the county with apparently no relief in sight. The Times charges the condition of affairs to the County Commissioners, and it is more or less sound in this contention. But after all, isn't the responsibility more properly placed upon the great mass of voters who know practically nothing about what has been going on in the last ten years. For example, we present herewith a statement of the expenses of Essex County for the year ending September 30, 1909, and we trust that the voters of the County will study the same in careful detail, and also in comparison with some figures that we also present, taken from the report of the Treasurer of Essex County for the year ending December 31, 1890, or in other words, practically ten years ago.

1909.	
Interest on county debt	\$36,502.21
Salaries of county officers and assistants	27,129.17
Clerical assistance in county offices	19,136.17
District and police courts	45,654.79
Jails and houses of correction	49,435.23
Criminal costs in Superior court	26,884.97
Civil costs in Supreme and Superior courts	20,352.43
Trial justices	4,876.43
Travel of county and special commissioners	662.10
Medical examiners, commissioners of insane, etc.	8,357.79
Auditors, masters and referees	2,827.59
Building county buildings	4,104.47
Repairing and furnishing county buildings	6,535.49
Care and supplies, county buildings	20,366.04
Highways, bridges and land damages	33,303.41
Law libraries	4,000.00
Trustee school	27,719.14
Miscellaneous and contingent expenses	3,291.35
Dag damages and license money refunded	25,596.78
Pensions	212.50
Totals	\$366,953.00
Special appropriations	200,726.91
Grand totals	\$567,679.91

Ten years ago the interest on all the debt and loans that the County had that year was \$245,830. This year the interest debt and loans is \$36,502.21. To maintain the County Buildings in 1890 it cost \$12,572; to maintain the buildings this year cost \$20,366.04. Special appropriations ten years ago were practically nothing, this year \$200,726.21. The total expenditures ten years ago for every demand on the part of the County amounted to \$320,434.66, this year they amounted to \$567,679.91. In other words, an analysis of the figures shows that the last decade has seen the cost of maintaining Essex County increase over 80 per cent. If we had before us the report of the Treasurer for 1904, we are confident that it would be seen that this difference should not be allowed as a condition arising in ten years, but that it has come about practically during the past five years of the conduct of affairs in Essex County. Notwithstanding this condition the voters are blindly re-electing the men who are responsible for it, and without any appreciation of what it means. Isn't it about time that Essex County woke to an understanding of the condition into which her finances are now placed, and demand of the proper officials a more careful oversight?

It is a very serious situation that confronts the town of Framingham, and at the present writing no one seems to know just how serious it is. Notwithstanding all the safeguards that have been put around officials holding responsible positions, there has never yet been discovered a method by which a dishonest man may be kept honest. We are inclined to think that some day one long step toward a control of the acts of such officials as the Town Treasurer of Framingham will be made in the adoption of a uniform accounting system directed and overseen by a Board either conducted by the State, or by combined interests of the different cities and towns. A great deal would be gained by such a board, not only along the line of holding in check dishonest men, but in keeping in good order the work of many incompetent officials.

We regret that our columns are filled this week with so much more important matter that it is impossible for us to publish a copy of the campaign literature that has been circulated during the past week. In a desire, however, to see that all the colors of the chameleon are properly presented to the public, there will be found in our news columns still other impressions than those presented in such volume by the young gentleman who is apparently stopping at nothing in his canvass for election.

Republican Rally

The date of the Republican Rally has been changed by the local committee at the request of the Republican State organization from Saturday evening, October 23, to Monday evening, October 25 in the Town hall. This date seems to be more favorable to the large number of citizens and indications point to a record breaking attendance. The doors will be open at 7:30 and the speech making will begin at eight o'clock prompt.

Governor Draper will be the first speaker as he must leave at an early hour to attend rallies in Lawrence and Haverhill. Previous to the address a reception will be held in the hall with Governor Draper, Attorney-General Malone, Stephen J. Gilman, Candidate Samuel H. Boutwell and Principal Alfred E. Stearns in the receiving line. This will come between the hours of 7:30 and 8:00 and all citizens desiring will be presented to these distinguished men. The Andover Brass band will give a concert in front of the hall at the same hour and Conductor Newton promises a fine program.

Principal A. E. Stearns of Phillips Academy will act as chairman of the evening. Mr. Gilman, one of the ablest young orators in the State is a son of John E. Gilman, Past Department Commander of the G. A. R., and the local War Veterans should not miss the opportunity of hearing the son of so distinguished a comrade. Remember that the gallery is reserved for ladies and those wishing seats should be on hand early.

Gift to Memorial Hall

On Tuesday afternoon the Memorial Hall was the scene of a very interesting and impressive ceremony, the occasion being the presentation to the hall and the town of a picture of the late Captain Horace Holt. Capt. Holt was well known in Andover and is still remembered by many of the older residents of the town. He was at the head of the Andover company which went to the front in 1861, and formed part of the 1st Massachusetts Heavy Artillery. He was wounded at Petersburg and as a result of his wound his connection with the Andover company was severed, and for years very little was known about him. He went West and three years ago died there. To those who knew him and admired him, the presentation of a portrait of the Captain, as well as a case containing his two sabres, his sash and epaulettes, two black rosettes used at Lincoln's funeral, and a book containing his signature, is full of interest. On either side of the portrait which has been placed on the north wall of the memorial room is a commission issued to Captain Holt, one by General Grant and the other by Johnson. These interesting memorials were given by Captain Holt's two nephews W. H. Lemon of New York City, and his brother Edward R. Lemon.

The presentation was made before representatives of Gen. William F. Bartlett Post, members of the board of trustees of Memorial Hall, and friends. Mr. W. H. Lemon with a few simple words presented the memorials, and they were accepted by Mr. E. Kendall Jenkins, chairman of the board of trustees of Memorial Hall. The other speakers were Rev. F. R. Shipman, George W. Chandler, commander of the Andover Post of G. A. R., and Peter D. Smith, past department commander. Each of the latter emphasized the appropriateness of the gift and their value as memorials of a soldier and citizen of Andover.

Communication

To the Editor of the Townsman:
I am frank enough to say to you at the outset that I have not always agreed with your political methods in Andover, but I have never known you or any other man in politics to stoop to some of the procedures that are a part of the campaign of Mr. Burns for the Legislature. When a candidate for a state office in Andover, bargains the votes of his associates for Town Meeting a year ahead for support, it is time the public knew it. I know that certain people who haven't had their sidewalks fixed for some time have been promised the vote of the Democrats in the Town Meeting next March if they will vote for Mr. Burns, and I am told that in at least one other case, the people have been promised votes for water extensions for the same return. This is about the cheapest political campaigning that Andover has ever seen, and it is time that a stop was put to it.

NON-PARTISAN.

Formation of New Club

At a meeting held in the Young Men's room, Monday evening, Sept. 20, it was voted that a club of young men of the Baptist church should be formed, and that it should be called Andover Echo Club. The object of the organization is to promote the social and religious welfare of its members. Its officers are: President, Alfred Lundgren, Vice President, Jesse Billington, Secretary, Robert Lochhead, Treasurer, Dana Chase.

CIVIC LEAGUE MEETING

Address on Andover And Live Suggestions For Betterment

The annual meeting of the Christian Civic League of Andover churches was held last Sunday evening at the South church. The subject of the meeting was "A Better Andover." An interested audience listened to Rev. M. W. Stackpole who spoke on "A More Healthy and More Healthful Andover," and Judge Bell who talked in regard to "A More Temperate Andover." The speakers showed the progress Andover has already made towards becoming a better town and also pointed out the various opportunities which are still open for improvement.

The meeting was brought to a close with the carrying of a motion to have arrangements made for a temperance meeting to be held at some time within a month in the Town Hall.

The following is an abstract from Mr. Stackpole's talk on "A More Healthful Andover."

Andover is now both healthy and healthful. At present there is not enough sickness to keep the doctors busy. In recent years epidemics have been few and not severe. It is especially gratifying to note, also, that in about half the cases of tuberculosis the disease has been arrested or improved has been shown.

We have reason to congratulate ourselves also upon healthful local conditions. Our homes and schools are far better equipped in regard to sanitary arrangements than twenty-five years ago. Our water supply is excellent and the system is being gradually extended. Good town water, from the sanitary point of view, is a way ahead of the "old oaken bucket." We have a sewage system but some day it must be extended to Abbott Village. It will cost money but the citizens must provide for it at a day not far distant. Andover mill-men are also keeping step with the most far-sighted mill-owners of the state in a policy of gradual improvement in holdings and dwellings, especially in respect to sanitation. — The Guild, the playgrounds, and the parks also help to make Andover a healthful place.

We are fortunate also in the various direct agencies which are concerned with public health. All over the world a great movement is going on for the study of the causes of disease and of the means for its prevention and cure. Every where more and more effective measures are being taken in this great campaign. Knowledge is not complete and methods are not perfect. Honest criticism aids progress, but ridicule and sneers at so-called "fads" are both foolish and ineffective. Partial knowledge is better than blind ignorance and reasonable caution is in order when such precious property as health is shown to be in danger. The aim of all these modern measures is simply that our children and grand-children may be happier, healthier, and more prosperous than we are. We do not need, however, to worry all the time about germs or to treat certain sick people like outcasts. Now that we know more about diseases and their transmission we should understand just where care should be taken. In Lung Tuberculosis, for example, the patient who keeps clean and who is extremely careful about spitting and coughing does not endanger those about him.

Massachusetts is passing health measures every year. There is an efficient state board and there are salaried district inspectors of health conditions. Dr. Kuhn is inspector for the Lawrence district. Then in the town itself we have our Health Officer, and Board of Health, our School Physician, our Inspector of milk and dairies and our District Nurse. Andover makes use also of the excellent hospital at Lawrence. There is to be noticed in the community an increasing willingness and desire to co-operate with these various agencies for preventing disease and improving conditions. These agencies need such public co-operation in order to do their work. In each case good results are their justification.

But the public can co-operate for the general health in other ways as well. Here are some suggestions.

1. Study the new discoveries and methods.
2. Look into proposed town measures in the interest of health.
3. Encourage those dealers in food, milk, and ice who stand for clean conditions. (Remember that bacteria are cheap at half the price.)
4. Be sure that you observe the health regulations when they come right home to you. (This applies to quarantine, spitting, and the plumbing in houses that you own.)
5. Keep out the flies for they carry germs on their feet.

Finally if we want Andover people to be healthy, we must make it our first business to keep healthy ourselves by getting plenty of fresh air, especially at night and by taking regular exercise out in the open; we must train our children to regular habits of life and we must instruct them early in the laws of moral and physical cleanliness.

Notice

The annual fees of the A. V. I. S. are now due and the treasurer, Mrs. Charles E. Abbott, would like to receive every one before the 30th of this month.

The annual meeting of the society comes on Monday, November 8.

The regular meeting of the Woman's Guild of Christ church will be held at the Parish House on Thursday, Oct. 28, at 3 p. m. Tea will be served at the close of the meeting. A large attendance is desired.

Death

In Andover, Oct. 21, 1909, W. Carleton Richardson, aged 10 years, 11 months, youngest son of Ammon P. Richardson.

Died. In Natick, Mass, Oct. 22, Mary Tyler, wife of John M. Fiske.

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ANOTHER VIEW OF THE "TERRIBLE CRISIS"



The Editor of the Townsman has received a circular letter addressed to "Dear Mr. Cole" and signed by "Joseph L. Burns," similar, it is understood, to one which has been sent to all Andover voters. In this circular "Dear Mr. Cole" is asked to unite with Mr. Burns in overthrowing some terrible monster who is apparently wild in this peaceful community.

From appearances this monster is one and the same person as the "My dear Mr. Cole" in the accompanying letter which was written AFTER MR. COLE'S LAST ACTIVE PARTICIPATION IN ANY REPRESENTATIVE CONTEST and before Mr. Burns had decided to become a statesman. It is difficult to know which letter to follow in the present "terrible crisis."

My dear Mr. Cole
I wish to extend to you my hearty congratulations on your reelection to the House of Representatives.

The complimentary vote given to you by both the Republican

and Democratic parties of dear old Andover is convincing evidence of the high esteem and the marked confidence with which your fellow citizens regard you.

I take this occasion of wishing you continued success in your advancing career, and I sincerely hope that the town of Andover will one day see her most distinguished son the Governor of this Commonwealth.

Sincerely yours

Joseph L. Burns.

Cambridge

Nov. 7-07.

Smoke Talk

On next Friday evening, one week from tonight a Smoke Talk will be held in Abbott Village hall to which all voters of Abbott and Marland Villages are cordially invited. The Smoke Talk is held under the auspices of the Republican Town Committee and promises to be an enjoyable event.

Opportunity will be afforded those present to meet Representative Candidate Samuel H. Boutwell and other prominent local men and hear their views on local, State and National affairs.

A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Andover vs. Light Blues.

The Andover C. and F. C. football eleven, travels to Manchester, N. H., tomorrow afternoon, where they will meet the Light Blues of that city in a Lawrence, Lowell and District league game. These teams are tied for second place in the league, and the followers of football in Manchester, should see some fine play as a result of this match. The Andover boys are going into the game feeling confident that they will succeed in capturing the two points, with the following team.

Goal, Monro. Backs, Gordon, Jack-Stirling. Forwards, Falconer, Tart, Meldrum, McGee, Gordon. Reserve, McKillop. Linesman, John Gordon.

The Fourth collection of the Abbott Village Coal Society will be taken in the Abbott Village Hall this evening from 7:00 to 8:30 o'clock. Parties wishing to connect with the Society can do so this evening, or any time before the 5th of November when the books will be closed to Membership.

Abbot Academy

Mr. Carpenter's lecture on Labrador last Saturday afternoon was one of unusual interest: in it he gave not only his impressions of the country from his last summer's visit, but very interesting reminiscences of his life there as a missionary fifty years ago, when the mission-house built for him was the only one along the whole coast. He made the desolate region, the people and their manner of living seem very real.

Rev. John Howard Melish of Brooklyn, who will preach Sunday morning at the Chapel Church, will conduct the Saturday evening meeting at the school.

A very valuable and beautiful picture has been given to the John-Eather Gallery by Mrs. Otis Cary and Mrs. Edwin N. Lovering of Winchester, who were class-mates at Abbot. Mrs. Cary is a missionary to Japan, and the picture is a water color on silk of the snow-covered summit of Fuji-yama.

Goldsmith Prize Trials

At the semi-final trials for the Goldsmith prize speaking held Monday, Oct. 18, the following speakers were chosen to represent their classes. Seniors, Margaret J. English and William J. Cronin; Juniors, Edna M. Ward and Lawrence Colby; Freshmen, Annie M. Platt and John Everett Collins. Eva H. Eaton was elected from the Sophomore class, but owing to the absence of Robert Morse, one of the contestants, no boy has as yet been chosen.

The Coming Revival

At a meeting of the general committee representing the Andover group in the matter of preparing for the evangelistic services which are to be held in January, the following chairmen of Andover sub-committees, were selected: Music committee, Edwin G. Booth; visitation committee, Stephen Jackson; thank offering committee, Charles W. Clark; finance committee, Dr. J. A. Leitch; publicity committee, John C. Angus; ushers' committee, J. Harold Melledge; devotional committee, Jonathan E. Holt. Rev. Frank R. Shipman pastor of the South church, presided at Friday night's meeting, which was held in the Free church vestry. He explained that the Andover committee will work in conjunction with six similar committees in other districts, which include Lawrence, North Andover, and Methuen. The chairman of the sub-committees in each of the seven groups will meet frequently to confer, so that the work in all the groups can proceed along practically similar lines. It is believed with such organizations as is proposed much better results will be accomplished. Rev. Mr. Shipman called attention to the fact that it is 22 years since Andover has had revival services. Rev. B. Fay Mills having conducted a successful series here in 1887. Rev. W. E. Lombard of the Baptist church explained the duties of the various sub-committees and stated that it is proposed to prepare for the evangelistic meetings in November and December. The earnestness shown at Friday night's meeting augurs well for the success of Andover's share in the evangelistic movement.

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AMONG THE CHURCHES, CLUBS AND SOCIETIES

Kings Daughter's League.

Mrs. M. W. Shepard, Mrs. T. F. Pratt and other representatives of the Courteous Circle of the South church attended the 13th annual convention of the King's Daughters, League of the King's Daughters, which was held with Opportunity circle of the First church, Lowell, Friday afternoon and evening. There was an excellent attendance at both sessions.

The afternoon meeting opened at 3 o'clock, Mrs. M. W. Shepard, presiding. The welcome to the visiting members was given by Mrs. Arthur French of Opportunity circle, and Mrs. Shepard responded. Following the singing of a number by Mrs. W. H. Pepin, Mrs. C. E. Walworth, of Steadfast circle, Lawrence, spoke briefly of those who desired help and of the need ever to be on the lookout for those women who were sufferers from burdens of sorrow. She closed by readings from the scriptures.

Mrs. Cook of Phillips circle, Methuen, read a very interesting paper upon the life and work of Miss Wright.

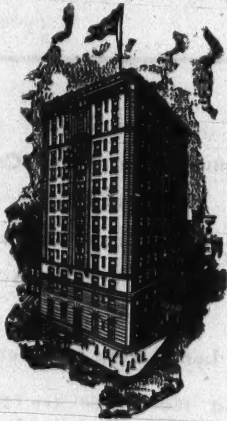
The nominating committee then brought in its report. Those nominated for office for the 14th year of the league were as follows: Leader, Mrs. Alice Harvey Webster, Haverhill; vice leader, Mrs. Harry Stocks, Lowell; recording secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Nellie Parker, Chelmsford Centre, and corresponding secretary, Mrs. Harvey Bishop, North Tewksbury. The nomination of the aforementioned was equivalent to an election. They were welcomed by Mrs. Shepard.

Mrs. Hewes, reporting on new circles being formed, named the Whatsoever circle of Chelmsford Centre, which has belonged to the league for several months but which had not received the official welcome. This was given. The other two received were from the Paige Street Free Baptist church and the Eliot church of this city. Mrs. Hewes said that circles were in process of formation in Methuen and South Lawrence.

Mrs. T. F. Pratt spoke on a brochure which had been published following a reading before the circles of Lawrence, Andover, Methuen and the neighboring towns. It concerned a better and simpler Christmas celebration. The banner of the league was formally turned over to Opportunity circle, because of its excellent work during the past year. The afternoon session adjourned at 5:30 o'clock.

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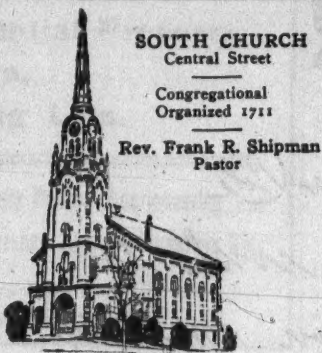
AT TOWN HOUSE
Friday, September 17, 1909, from 7:30 to 9:30 p. m.
Friday, October 8th, 1909, from 7:30 to 9:30 p. m.
Wednesday, October 13th, 1909, from 7:30 to 9:30 p. m.
Monday, October 18th, 1909, from 7:30 to 9:30 p. m.
Saturday, October 23rd, 1909, from 12m. to 10 p. m.

AT OLD SCHOOL HOUSE, BAL-LARDVALE
Monday, October 4th, 1909, from 7:30 to 9:30 p. m.
Friday, October 15th, 1909, from 7:30 to 9:30 p. m.

After ten o'clock in the evening of the last day fixed for registration no names will be added to the register except the names of voters examined as to their qualifications between the preceding thirtieth day of April and the close of registration.

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Andover, September 17th, 1909.

CHURCH CALENDAR FOR NEXT WEEK



SOUTH CHURCH
Central Street
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Organized 1711
Rev. Frank R. Shipman
Pastor

Services for Next Week
10:30 a. m. Morning worship, with sermon by the pastor. Also, Sunday kindergarten.

Sunday School to follow.
6:30 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E.

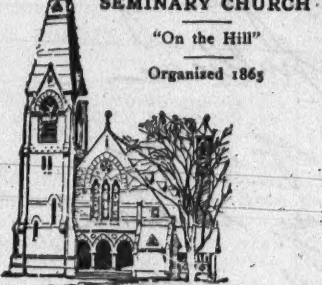
7:30 p. m. Evening worship, with sermon by the pastor.

Tuesday, 7:45 p. m. T. W. T. Club.

Wednesday, 7:45 p. m. midweek meeting.

Thursday, 2:30 p. m. Women's Union sewing meeting.

Thursday, 7:45 p. m. Choir practice.



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Services for Next Week

Services under the auspices of Phillips Academy at 10:30 and 5:15.

Preacher: The Rev. John Howard Melish of Brooklyn, N. Y.

11:30 a. m. Sunday School in Bartlet Chapel.

Wednesday at 8 p. m. Prayer Meeting in Bartlet Chapel.

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Organized 1850
Rev. Fr. Riordan, Pastor



Services for Next Week

8:30 a. m. Mass and instruction, Sunday-school following.

10:30 a. m. High Mass and sermon.

3:30 p. m. Vespers.

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Second Sunday of each month, Communion day for the children.

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Organized 1832



Services for Next Week

10:30 a. m. Preaching by the pastor.

11:45 a. m. Sunday-School to follow.

7:15 p. m. Preaching by Mr. Murray, of Y. M. C. A., of Methuen.

6:30 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E.

7:30 p. m. Wednesday Prayer Meeting.

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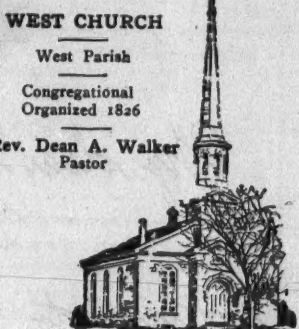
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WEST CHURCH
West Parish
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Organized 1826
Rev. Dean A. Walker
Pastor

Services for Next Week

10:30 a. m. Morning worship with sermon by Rev. George E. Lovejoy of Lawrence.

Sunday-School to follow at 12 m.

3:00 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. Leader Harold Russell.

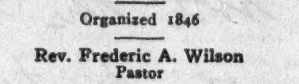
7:00 p. m. Prayer and conference meeting in Abbott School House.

7:45 p. m. Wednesday. Midweek meeting.

Thursday, The Seaman's Friend Society will be entertained in the vestry by Mrs. Richard A. Ward.

Saturday, 2:30 p. m. West Center Club in the vestry.

FREE CHURCH, Congregational
Elm Street
Organized 1846



Services for Next Week

10:30 a. m. Morning Worship with sermon by the Pastor.

Sunday school to follow the morning service.

6:40 p. m. Meeting of the Y. P. S. C. E.

7:30 p. m. Address by Rev. C. L. Osborne upon "Work for Seamen."

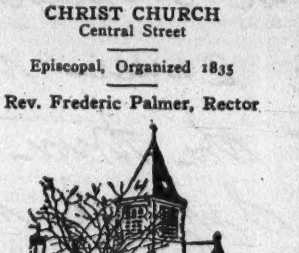
7:30 p. m. Tuesday. Meeting of the Young Ladies' Dorcas Circle.

7:45 p. m. Wednesday, midweek prayer and conference service.

Friday 2:30 p. m. Sewing Meeting of Ladies' Benevolent Society.

CHRIST CHURCH
Central Street
Episcopal, Organized 1835

Rev. Frederic Palmer, Rector



Services for Next Week

10:30 a. m. Morning Prayer and service.

12:00 m. Sunday School.

5:00 p. m. Evening Prayer.

7:00 p. m. Monday, K. O. K. A.

3:45 p. m. Tuesday Junior Auxiliary.

7:45 p. m. Tuesday-Girls' Friendly Society.

3:00 p. m. Thursday Women's Guild, Annual Meeting.

2:30 p. m. Thursday St. Margaret's Guild at Glebe House.

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SOME ANDOVER INTERESTS

AS SEEN BY "THE SPECTATOR."

Sunday afternoon The Spectator saw a reckless chauffeur violate the speed law on Main street. Near the public library he narrowly missed a collision with a trolley car and had the motorman not had his car under perfect control The Spectator is convinced that there would have been a bad smashup.

An Andover physician gives The Spectator to understand that a hot bath before retiring at night will frequently so relax the nerves and muscles that sleep is possible as soon as one lies down. "It is always well to have some light refreshment by the bed to take," he says, "if one is awake, because no person who is hungry can sleep."

"Andover is not a very large spot on the map, but it is growing," remarked a prominent townsman to The Spectator the other day. It is The Spectator's personal opinion that ours is the best town in the whole Commonwealth, and the persons who share this opinion are not a very inconsiderable number either.

A leading Andover clergyman recently discussed with The Spectator the foreign missionary and the part he has played in the expanding of trade. The Spectator's clerical friend pointed out that had it not been for the missionary the United States never would have had much foreign trade to speak of. The man who dared to go to the heathen is the man who has opened the ports of the world.

An Elm street gentleman suggests that the Boston and Northern Street Railway advertise building sites in Andover. A large number of very attractive houses lie along the trolley route and the sites have been selected because of the convenient transportation afforded by the electric road. The Elm street gentleman points out that the unoccupied land along the line of the trolley would doubtless be developed much more rapidly if the street railway company would advertise the sites. He says: "Each house that goes up in Andover induces some home-seeker to come to

the neighborhood and that makes permanent patrons of the cars." An energetic advertising bureau is one of the adjuncts the street railway company would find to be profitable.

"If all the Andoverites who attend athletic contests on Saturday would attend churches on Sunday how the collections would swell," remarked a prominent Andover churchman to The Spectator a day or two ago.

At a social gathering the other evening The Spectator heard a townsman hurling criticisms at a couple of town officials and The Spectator couldn't help asking the gentleman if he ever pondered the fact that most of the men who conduct the government work of Andover do so without pay and devote a great deal of time to their duties. The Spectator regrets that the brick that the kicking Andoverite throws with such sang froid is not made on the booming principle that it may come back and bang his own head.

A Main street lady of The Spectator's acquaintance maintains a "guest card." It is a framed card hanging in the guest chamber with the hours for meals, the hour when the dressing bell rings for dinner, when the mail arrives, hour of divine service and the railway time table. It saves the guest the necessity of asking about these details. The Spectator thinks the idea an excellent one and it is his intention to maintain a similar card in his own home.

Here is a bit of philosophy dispensed by one of the students at Phillips Andover: "He who has to manufacture his smiles finds that grudges within turn them into grins." The Spectator thinks this bit good enough to give immortality in the Townsman.

The other day near the Town House The Spectator saw a sparrow fluttering around on the ground in the last throes of death. The only explanation The Spectator could arrive at was that the little creature had come in contact with a "live wire."

THE SPECTATOR.

Your Name

I have always felt that there was one thing I had a special right in, my own name. No one could legally use it at the bottom of a check or a petition, nor could sign it below any other declaration save that of my own concocting, or concurring. I need not even lend it to approve of schemes, unless I was consulted. I need not accede to any nomination for public service, made for me without my consent. I have always wondered if the people who appear in a certain paint firm's series of advertisements knew how silly they looked to me in their new partnership. I have always felt that my name was for myself to spoil or commend by my own choices, in word or deed, as that is all that really harms it. A while back, a letter came to my box from the Lawrence Telegram office, saying I was a nominee in a prize contest, prize not stated, and would I please get the enclosed blanks for new subscriptions to the Telegram filled in, and return. If I did not choose to undertake this service thrust upon me, I was asked to return the blanks to their office. Following the usual rules of the Press, with which I am familiar, finding no return postage, I did not send back the package. A Telegram agent can have it by calling or enclosing the postage (I believe two cents.) In a week or so, a nice little girl came to my room with some coupons cut from the Telegram, her mother had sent to me, to promote my right to a prize. I asked her what the prize was, and she said it was a trip to California. I hereby notify my generous friends, the local Coal man, the grocer, the laundryman, that my whole time is strictly devoted primarily to paying the bills they kindly extend, while I chose grandmothers for a second object, the preserving of material for future Andover History. When I work for any newspaper, it is the "Townsman" forever; second, the Boston Transcript; and third, my friendly Boston Record. I do not think the Telegram legally can or should use my name for reasons best known to the promoters, to advance their scheme. I am not a man, nor a statesman alias politician. But I am a business woman, trained to respect a square deal, and my brains, my reputation, my name should be left me as my capital in my own ventures, to sell or to lend or to donate to other interests as I choose. I protest against this way of doing business, and if there are others who also resent such high handed "stand and deliver" methods, I will be glad to unite with such in some legal business-like way of reforming the members of the Press Association who employ such means of gain. I love all the little Andover girls and their friendly mothers, and all the good fathers too, but I would enjoy better a tramp on foot to California, paying my way, than any gift from a lottery of this kind.

(Signed) Charlotte Helen Abbott of the "Townsman." Andover, Oct. 16, 1909.

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4. Jan. 13 Coronado's Expedition, W. K. Moorehead.

5. Jan. 27 The Real Indian, Dr. Charles A. Eastman.

6. Feb. 10 De Soto's Expedition, W. K. Moorehead.

7. Mch. 3 The Stone and Metal Ages in Great Britain and Northern France. Stonehenge and Carnac, C. Peabody.

8. Mch. 17 Glimpses of Insect Life, Professor E. S. Morse.

9. Mch. 31 The Archaeology and Ethnology of Scandinavia, C. Peabody.

These are given Thursday evenings, at eight o'clock, in the lecture hall of the Archaeology Building, Andover Hill. All lectures are illustrated, except Dr. Eastman's. The public is cordially invited to be present.

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LAWRENCE OPERA HOUSE

At the Opera House next week theatre-goers will see two first class productions. One is called the "White Squaw." The characters are all western, and the time of the play the days of early nineteenth century. It is the story of the fortunes of a child lost in the woods, found and cared for by Indians and brought up as a squaw and called the white squaw. Robert Edson is almost so well known that the bare announcement of his name is sufficient to attract a large audience, no matter in what he appears. But that he is to come here for one night in his new success "A Noble Spaniard" en route to Chicago, where he is under contract to appear early in November, will be an announcement of more than passing interest.

COLONIAL

Miss Ethel Fuller has made a deep impression upon the patrons of the Colonial theatre this week, where she is appearing in an emotional playlet entitled "A House of Cards."

Of course, the sensation of the week at the Colonial is Lady Betty, the clever monkey who does everything but talk. Crowds are in evidence at every performance and Saturday will be a big day for the children. Lady Betty has made the biggest kind of a hit and her departure will be regretted by the children.

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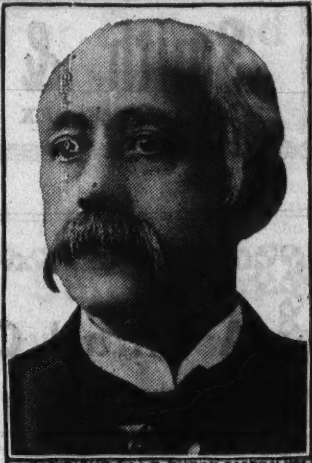
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THE NATIONAL GRANGE

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Official announcement has been made
of the forty-third session of the national
grange at Des Moines, Ia., Nov. 10-
19. The Savary hotel will be the head-
quarters, and the business meetings
will be held in a large hall in the hotel
and the public meetings in the Auditor-
ium. On Thursday evening of that
week the subordinate degrees and the
sixth and seventh will be conferred.
All day Thursday will be devoted to
the public meetings, at which time it
is expected that Iowa and adjoining
states will be represented by their chief



N. J. BACHEELDER.

executives or United States senators,
also heads of agricultural colleges. The
feature of the public meetings will be
the address of the Right Hon. Sir
Horace Plunkett of Ireland, who is at
the head of the great co-operative
movement in that country. Friday and
Saturday of that week will be devoted
to degree work, and on Saturday even-
ing the annual session of the Priests
of Demeter, the highest official body of
the grange, will be held. The annual
memorial services will occur on the
following Sunday. The balance of the
session will be devoted strictly to busi-
ness. Hon. N. J. Bacheelder, master of
the national grange, will preside. The
biennial election of officers will take
place this year.

GOOD ROADS CONVENTION.

The Grange Active in an Intelligent
and Aggressive Way.

The second annual good roads con-
vention was held Sept. 21 to 23 at
Cleveland, O., under the auspices of
the American Automobile association,
the national grange, United States
office of public roads, the American
Roadmakers' association and several
automobile organizations. The high-
way problem was considered from all
angles, and the varied interests of the
participants brought out a presenta-
tion of all the modern phases of the
subject.

The grange has been very active in
an intelligent and aggressive way in
the stimulation of thought and action
on improved highways and represents
well the farmer's view, says the
Breeder's Gazette. The prejudice
against motors on the highways is
wearing away and will the more rap-
idly disappear as farmers come in
larger numbers to the use of these ma-
chines. Undoubtedly at present many
farmers are influenced against road
betterment because it brings increased
use by autos. Time was when many
farmers fought road improvement be-
cause bicyclists advocated it, and their
attitude toward the subject is the
same now that motorists are interest-
ed in a movement for better highways.
It is idle to fight the trend of the
times. A road suitable for an auto
is better suited to the farmer's wagon
or buggy than one which the motorist
shuns. Interests are identical. Dis-
cussion is useless on that point. The
problems are the best system of road
building and maintenance and the
equitable distribution of the cost. It
is rank injustice to ask that all the
cost fall on the farmer.

A Worthy Compliment.

The Patrons of Husbandry, or grange,
as it is more commonly known, is the
oldest of farmers' organizations. It
has made mistakes, yet it has a mag-
nificent record. Conservative along
many lines of action that the Ameri-
can Society of Equity stands for, it is
aggressive in forcing needed legisla-
tion for the rural classes, and the
measures that it has compelled con-
gress and the different state legisla-
tures to enact stand out in bold relief
as a monument to executive ability and
perseverance.—Colman's Rural World.

The Farmers' Union.

The Farmers' Educational and Co-
operative Union of America reports a
membership of 1,500,000 in the twenty-
four states where it is organized. One
of the objects of the union is to
rush the construction of elevators in
time for the handling of the wheat
crop of 1909 when it is thrashed. The
organization is the outcome of a
project suggested by a Texas school-
teacher.

Webster grange, Monroe county, N.
Y., is arranging for a school of agri-
culture to be conducted by Professor
Wilson of Cornell university.

LAWRENCE

Chancellor Commander W. J. Ward
presided over a regular meeting of
William Lloyd Garrison lodge, No. 20,
K. of P., in Pemberton hall Monday
evening.

John J. Cahill, A. M., M. D., gave
a very entertaining lecture on "An
Evening with the Poets" before the
members of the Men's league of the
United Congregational church, Mon-
day evening.

Rev. Fr. Phillip F. Sexton, formerly
of this city, died Friday evening at
7.30 at the home of his brother, Thos.
J. Sexton, 823 East 3d street, South
Boston.

The rumors regarding the proposed
movement to build a mill at Mitchell's
falls seems to have started from the
recent visit of a local party to E. M.
Nason, who owns a large farm at
Ward Hill. Mr. Nason was asked to
name a price on his farm, but did not,
the party who sought it stating that
he had a client who wanted a place.

One of the first musical treats of
the season will be held in the Garden
street M. E. church one week from
last night, when the Schubert quar-
tette, of Boston, assisted by Miss
Elsie Leighton Livermore, reader, are
to give one of their concerts. Miss
Livermore and the Schubert quartette
are no strangers to Lawrence, and the
excellency of their concerts assure
them of a large audience.

Realizing the dangerous condition
of South Broadway at the foot of
Phillips' hill, Supt. Needham will send
over a gang of his men there the lat-
ter part of this week to repair it.
The numerous holes which together
with the projection of the car tracks
over the grade of the street make
traffic dangerous, will be filled and
levelled.

Nearly \$600—just \$588.06 to be cor-
rect—was subscribed by the Sunday
school classes of the Second Baptist
church Sunday evening when the an-
niversary of the school was observed.
The sum will be used toward support-
ing the church missionary in this city
for the greater part and in contribu-
tions the state missionary association.
The Philanthia class has the honor of
contributing the largest sum, \$135.
One other class contributed \$108 and
still another \$105.

There will be a congestion in the in-
dustrial schools this year. An unusual
registration took place Monday night,
and already the number registered is
so large that the directors of the in-
stitution will have to take immediate
steps toward a division of the school
nights so that all applicants will be
accommodated. Monday night 743
registered. The boys were received
at the old Battery building and the
girls at Library hall. The registration
will continue the rest of this week.

A goodly sized audience was on
hand at the city hall Monday evening
when the sixth lecture in the Anti-
Tuberculosis course was given by E.
S. Mason, superintendent of the
Charlestown Boys' Club, who spoke
on "Boys' clubs in Relation to
Health." The meeting was opened
with two selections by the McDowell
Quartette, after which Supt. B. M.
Sheridan, chairman of the evening,
in a brief speech introduced Mr. Mason.
Mr. Mason is an able speaker, well
versed in the subject of boys' clubs,
and his address proved to be very in-
structive as well as interesting.

The first dancing party of the season
to be held at Labonte's dancing
academy in Saunders hall was held
Monday evening. The hall was well
filled with merry-minded couples and
a most pleasant evening was passed
by all, music being provided by the
Columbian orchestra. A special fea-
ture of the event were the two new
dance effects, the "snowstorm" in
which an unlimited amount of confetti
and paper streamers were used, and
turning the hall which was tastily
decorated in blue and white, into a
veritable fairyland.

PUBLIC INSTALLATION

A public installation of the officers
of Bethany commandery, 17, Knights
Templar, was held at Masonic hall
Monday night, and the ceremonies
were witnessed by a large gathering
of the friends of the members. The
induction was under the direction of
Eminent Sir Lafayette G. Blair, grand
captain general of the Grand Com-
mandery of Massachusetts and Rhode
Island, assisted by Eminent Sir Chas.
E. Pierce, grand warden. The cere-
monies were impressive in character
and very interesting to the non-mem-
bers present. The work was inter-
persed with excellent selections by
the Weber quartette, and followed by
a fine concert program. A dainty col-
lation of salads, ices and other tempt-
ing viands was served by the Page Ca-
tering company. The ushers were
Arthur E. Colby, Albert W. Lang, Al-
fred E. Lang, Cyrus E. Bean, H. P.
Poore, R. G. Kneupier and Sidney R.
Rollins.

MERRIMACK VALLEY RE-
BEKAHS

The monthly meeting of the Merri-
mack Valley association of past noble
grands of the Rebekahs, was held
Friday afternoon in Russell hall on
Appleton street.

The association which comprises all
of the past noble grands of lodges in
Essex county, was well represented
at the meeting and a large amount of
business was transacted after which
a sumptuous banquet was served by
the Lawrence division.

During the business session a very
interesting paper was read by Mrs.
I. E. Morse of Haverhill relating in
an entertaining manner her recent ad-
ventures abroad, where she visited the
principal cities of Europe and jour-
neyed as far north as Lapland. The
meeting was presided over by Presi-
dent Mrs. Swain.

The next meeting of the association
will be held in North Andover on the
second Friday in November.

METHUEN

The annual smoke talk of the Me-
thuen Cricket club will be held in
Odd Fellows' hall Friday night.

The Methuen Teachers' club is
planning for a social to be held at the
home of Miss Katherine Johnson,
Ditson place, Thursday evening, Oct.
28.

The annual meeting of the Cheerful
Workers of the Baptist church was
held in the church parlors Thursday
evening at 7.30 o'clock. The election
of officers took place.

Thursday evening at the meeting
of the Methuen grange the third
and fourth degrees were conferred. Fol-
lowing the degree work, the annual
harvest supper was served in the
banquet hall.

Chester Salls has severed his con-
nection with the electrical department
of the Arlington mills, where he has
been employed for 17 years. He has
accepted a position with a Lawrence
electrical concern.

Rev. W. B. Taylor, for several years
pastor of St. George's Primitive Meth-
odist church, has been visiting here.
He has been in attendance at the con-
ference in Lowell. Rev. Mr. Taylor
is now located in Lonsdale, R. I.

The opening meeting of the Pleas-
ant Sunday Afternoon club at the
Y. M. C. A., was held at 3.30 o'clock
Sunday afternoon, with William D.
Harshorne presiding as chairman. A
number of members were registered
and a brilliant future is predicted for
the new organization.

An Italian girl about three years
old, was found wandering in a field
near Marston's corner Monday fore-
noon and was taken to the police sta-
tion. The child's home was at the
lower end of Common street, Law-
rence, where she was taken later in
the day. It is not known how the
little girl wandered so far from home.

J. E. Conant & Co., auctioneers,
of Lowell, will sell the plant of the Jer-
sey Cloth company, Tuesday, Oct. 26,
to close the estate of the late Frank
Remick, consisting of real estate, 530
lots of machinery, mechanical equip-
ment and other personal property.
The plant is small but modern and
equipped for the manufacture of Jer-
sey cloth, stockinettes and astrachans.

The following delegates will repre-
sent Methuen at the 21st annual con-
ference of the Women's Auxiliaries to
the branches of the Y. M. C. A.
throughout Massachusetts and Rhode
Island, which will be held in Malden,
on Wednesday, Oct. 27th, and Thurs-
day, Oct. 28th: Mrs. Ferguson, Mrs.
Dudley, Mrs. Warren Hutchins, Mrs.
S. B. Duff, Mrs. Peirce and Mrs. Jen-
kins.

The opening reception to the mem-
bers of the gymnasium classes of the
men and employed boys was held
Monday evening, when a large gather-
ing of the members were treated to
an excellent talk on general gymna-
sium work by Arthur Bagley, physical
director of the Lawrence Y. M. C. A.
Mr. Bagley spoke on the necessity
of physical culture and the co-
operation in the work of the members
with their directors.

Local schools will be closed to give
the teachers an opportunity to attend
the annual convention of the Essex
County Teachers' association, in Pea-
body, Friday, Nov. 5. A strong pro-
gram has been prepared, devoting
half the time to department meetings.
Among the speakers are President
John H. Finlay of New York, Prof.
W. T. Foster of Bowdoin college
and Secretary Frank R. Speare of the
Boston Y. M. C. A. The usual rates
will be made on the Boston & Maine
railroad, good going Nov. 4 and 5,
and returning Nov. 5 and 6. Accom-
modations have been made for din-
ners.

The death of James H. Lester, a
former resident, occurred last week
at his late home in Salem, N. H.
The deceased was formerly in the employ
of E. F. Searles. He removed to Sa-
lem some years ago, where he has
since resided. His health has been
poor for a number of years. His wife,
who was Miss Maud McLaughlin, sur-
vives. The deceased was born in Eng-
land, July 1, 1867, and came to Amer-
ica as a boy, and the greater part of
his life has been spent in Lawrence
and Methuen. Funeral services were
held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock
and interment was in Pine Grove
cemetery. Rev. R. B. Fisher of the
Methuen Baptist church officiated.

In preparation for the coming evan-
gelistic services, the following com-
mittee have been selected from the
local Baptist church: Devotional, L.
O. Norris, B. F. Dennison, Carroll
Pinkham, Ushers, L. M. Nichols, T.
P. Fisher, George B. Bradbury, S. J.
Smith. Finance, Charles R. Bower,
Charles Hutchins, Frank Webster.
Thank offering, Oswald L. Dart, Le-
roy D. Howard, Henry P. Klemke.
Publicity, L. A. Grass, John Higgin-
bottom, Thomas Richardson. Music,
Arthur R. Kinney, Laura Averill, Mrs.
William Thomson. Visitation, Mrs.
James Peirce, Mrs. Sarah L. Crippen,
Mrs. William E. Clarke, Mrs. Wal-
lace Wright, Miss Alma Griffin, Mrs.
Bertha Kinney, Mrs. B. F. Dennison.

D. D. G. M. Nelson J. Hunt and
suite of the 10th Masonic district
made an official visit to John Han-
cock lodge, A. F. and A. M., Friday
evening. There was a large attend-
ance of members and there were
about 100 visitors from Salem, N. H.;
Lawrence, Haverhill and the An-
dovers. The district deputy grand
master made an inspection of the
lodge, assisted by Franklin Woodman
as senior grand warden, Frank H.
Sawyer as grand treasurer, and Chas.
E. Grover as grand marshal. Follow-
ing the inspection there was an exem-
plification of the second degree. The
visiting grand master congratulated
the lodge upon its condition and on
the work performed. A supper fol-
lowed the lodge meeting. During the
meeting and after the supper selec-
tions were given by a quartet.

NORTH ANDOVER

About \$75 was cleared at the recent
M. E. annual harvest supper, sale and
entertainment.

Saturday afternoon the Athletics
football eleven played the West New-
bury on the Grogan grounds.

Mrs. Sarah F. Carr of High street
has arrived home from Bethlehem, N.
H., where she passed several months.

Miss Jessie Wilson gave a vocal so-
lo at the Devonian's entertainment,
Saturday evening, in Lawrence.

Six hundred bushels of potatoes
have been dug this fall at Broad Acres,
George H. Simonds' place, in the Cen-
tre.

Miss Alice R. Farnum of Boston
passed Sunday at her former home,
Boston Hill farm, in the Farnum dis-
trict.

The new Eben Sutton engine house
will very likely be utilized for a pol-
ling place in Precinct 1 at the coming
state election.

T. H. Cavanaugh, assistant post-
master at the Parish, has resumed his
duties after a fortnight's absence, ow-
ing to illness.

The Ladies' Sewing Circle of the
Grange is to meet with Mrs. Albert
McDonald, at the Centre, on Thurs-
day afternoon of next week.

Henry D. Rockwell, who is hunting,
in the vicinity of Mountain View, N.
H., with S. T. Wood, foreman of
Witchfield, shot a 22-pound raccoon
the other day.

Some persons entered the stable on
Main street, where R. Sholz keeps his
horses, the other evening, and pain-
fully mutilated the tail of one of the
animals.

Essex County Pomona Grange
meets at Mechanics hall, in Rowley
on the first Thursday in November. Post-
master Louis S. Cox of Lawrence is
to deliver an address on "Postal Fa-
cilities."

The North Andover Fife and Drum
Corps, James H. Winning, leader, and
the Boston Hill Fife and Drum Corps,
John M. Lewis leader, furnished first-
class music in the parade at Lawrence,
Sunday afternoon.

This evening a large delegation of
local Patrons of Husbandry will go
to West Boxford, where "Visitors'
Night" is to be observed by the
Grange in that town. A part of the
program is to be given by the North
Andover Grange.

The Eben Suttons are planning for
a house warming, the date to be an-
nounced later. The committee of ar-
rangements for the event consists of
Capt. William J. Stewart, chairman;
Alonso Bixby, secretary-treasurer;
Lieut. Edward E. Towne, Herbert
Woodhouse, Edward F. Butterworth,
Irving Rokes, Edward A. Costello.

Tickets are selling rapidly for the
entertainment to be given this even-
ing at Johnson High school, the pro-
ceeds of which will be devoted to the
Washington fund for the class of
1910 who are planning to take a trip
to Washington, D. C., in the spring.
Among the entertainers will be Miss
Grace Chamberlain, original mono-
logues, and Miss Emma Buttrick
Noyes, soprano solos.

The old North church was repre-
sented by the following at the Unitar-
ian conference, at Haverhill: Rev.
and Mrs. William S. Nichols, Select-
man and Mrs. Peter Holt, Mr. and
Mrs. Charles H. Farnham, Mr. and
Mrs. John Peters Clarke, Mrs. Geo.
F. Sargent, Mrs. Harry C. Foster,
Miss Kate Johnson, Miss Laura A.
Bailey, Miss Mary Prescott, Miss Kate
T. Fuller, Miss Mary G. Carleton.

Among the local people who were
in attendance at the public installation
and concert of Bethany commandery,
Knights Templar, held Monday night
in Masonic hall, Lawrence, were Mr.
and Mrs. George Wright, Mr. and
Mrs. George H. Perkins, Dr. Charles
P. Morrill, Representative and Mrs.
William Halliday, Mr. and Mrs. Her-
bert Field, William S. Paisley and
daughter, Miss Elizabeth Paisley.

"Visitors' night" was observed at
the meeting of the local grange Tues-
day evening and the entertainment
was provided by Laurel grange of
West Newbury and the West Boxford
grange. This evening the local grange
will go to West Boxford, the occasion
being "visitors' night" at the latter
grange. The officers of the local or-
ganization will present a burlesque on
"Taking the Third Degree in the
Grange."

At the regular meeting of Bradstreet
colony, U. O. P. F., held Monday night
the officers recently elected by the
colony were installed by D. S. Gov-
ernor W. E. Martin of Haverhill and
suite. Following the installation an
appetizing repast was nicely served
by the members. The following offi-
cers were installed: Governor, Mrs.
E. L. Perley; lieutenant governor,
Mrs. John H. Greenwood; secretary,
E. L. Perley; treasurer, Peter Barrington;
collector, Walter G. Stone; chaplain,
Mrs. Catherine S. Yost; sergeant-at-
arms, Miss Elizabeth Keating; deputy
sergeant-at-arms, Miss Margaret
Shaw; sentinel of inner gate, Mrs.
Wentworth Lewis; sentinel of outer
gate, George H. Shaw; pianist, Miss
Agnes S. Campbell; trustee three
years, E. J. Kelley.

NORTH ANDOVER CLUB NOTES

The first "Members' Night" of the
season was a pleasant affair. The ca-
pable entertainment committee, as
follows, were in charge of the arrange-
ments: Herbert S. Stillings, Town
Clerk Joseph A. Duncan, John E.
Hall, Harry A. Josselyn, Claxton Mon-
ro.

Steamed clams are to be served at
the next "Members' Night," Oct. 21st.

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ESSEX COUNTY

The North Congregational church
of Lynn celebrated its 40th anniver-
sary last Sunday.

M. R. Connolly of Lynn has been
awarded a Carnegie medal for saving
the life of Nathan Mendlow off Na-
hant, August 15.

Registration of new voters has gen-
erally been very light in most towns
and cities in the country, although
Newburyport shows a gain of 195
over last year.

Miss Emily A. Glover, principal of
the Oliver primary school, Salem, and
a teacher since 1864, died very sud-
denly at her home, 71 Ocean avenue,
on Friday, while preparing for school.

The annual convention of Essex
Co. teachers will be held in Peabody
Friday, November 5. There will be
several well known speakers to ad-
dress the teachers on this occasion.

In the case against William Hunt,
draw tender, of Newburyport, Miss
Drusilla Bruce was given \$850 and
Miss Nora Donahue \$150 by the jury.
They were injured by the closing of
the bridge gates, while on an electric
car.

A new scheme broached in connection
with the Merrimack river freight
line to Lawrence. Although the boat
that is to run on this line is nearly
finished, it will not begin business till
next spring it is said.

George Taylor, the Newburyport
brakeman, who was recently assaulted,
went to Berwick, Me. As he failed
to identify positively the two suspects
who had been arrested as being the
men who did the job, they were re-
leased.

Mayor Alfred S. Hunt of Newbury-
port has thrown a bombshell into the
camp of his political opponents by
his statement that he will complete
his term. When Mayor Hunt declared
his intention to resign, certain alder-
men whispered about some mysteri-
ous motive behind the resignation. A
certain railroad pass was mentioned
by his enemies.

The "Charity Ball" of Everett lodge
642, B. P. O. Elks held at the Nauti-
cal Garden, Revere Beach, Monday
evening, was the cynosure of all so-
cial functions in Greater Boston. The
large and magnificent building was
filled to overflowing with members
and friends from Worcester, Marl-
boro, Hudson, Brockton, Boston,
Chelsea, Cambridge, Malden, Somer-
ville, Medford, Waltham, Melrose,
Lynn, Salem, Lowell and Lawrence.

The annual business meeting of
Starr King lodge of Masons of Salem
was held last Friday evening and the
following officers were elected for the
coming year: Cassius S. Ciley, W. M.;
Frank B. Ellery, S. W.; Fred N.
Mowll, J. W.; Wor. Bro. George B.
Farrington, treasurer; Lewis F. Allen,
secretary. The reports of the various
officers showed the lodge to be in a
most flourishing condition. After the
business meeting there was work in
the first degree followed by a banquet
by Schaubert.

Association Football

The Methuen A. C. eleven of Me-
thuen, were the opponents of the An-
dovers in a Lawrence, Lowell and Dis-
trict league game, on the Andover
cricket grounds Saturday afternoon
and suffered defeat to the tune of 7
to 0. The weather was all that could
be desired for football, and there was
a good crowd of spectators.

The line-up was as follows:
Andover. Goal, Monro. Backs,
Gordon, Jackson, Tart, Forward, Fal-
coner, McKillop, Meldrum, McGee,
Clark Smith, Half-backs, Lowe, Elliot,
Neil. Forwards, Ayers, Martin, Skea,
Capt., Skelley, Garnett.

From the kickoff.
Andover had a try for goal in the
first minute of the game, but the shot
went wide of the mark. The A. C.
put in some pretty play but they were
very poor at the goal. They kept up
the pressure for a time, and gave An-
dover a good fright. The Andovers
got well within shooting distance, and
Meldrum, getting a clear field, made
for goal, and gave the goalkeeper no
chance to save, thus scoring the first
goal for Andover. From the kick-off,
A. C. went away again only to be sent
back, Jackson letting his forwards
away. Gordon sent in a lovely cross
but there was nobody to take it and
it went behind. The A. C. forwards
were giving the Andover defence a
sore time, but the latter were equal
to the occasion. Andover now took
the game in hand and after some nice
forward work Falconer sent across a
pass of which Meldrum took full ad-
vantage. He shot hard, the goalkeep-
er partly saving the ball from slipping
out of his hands and rolling over the
line. Thus Andover was two up.
The A. C. were still playing up gam-
ely, and monopolized the play for a
time, but could not pierce the defence,
Jackson and Gordon being very
steady. The A. C. had a run on the
left. Garnett sent in a lovely shot,
but it wanted sting and Monroe had
no difficulty in clearing. He kicked
the ball well out and Falconer scored
goal No. three when the whistle
sounded for half time.

In the second half Ayers, on the
right, had some pretty runs. The ball
was kept in midfield for a time, then
the Andover boys had a spell of at-
tacking but could not get within
shooting distance. Skea and company
were putting up a good game and kept
the nimble Andover forwards from
scoring time and again. Finally, the
Andovers took a firm hold of the
game, and McGee getting the ball,
gave Gordon a glorious chance, but
the keeper held the ball and put it
behind. They were granted a corner
kick, but it was fruitless. The An-
dovers were back again, and Gordon
scored a beauty of a goal. Again the
Andovers scored through Tart. They
were all over their opponents and they
added another goal, making the score,
when the whistle sounded—
Andover, 7; Methuen A. C., 0.

BALLARDVALE.

UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Rev. Augustus H. Fuller, pastor. Services for next week.

10.30 a. m. Worship with sermon by pastor.
12.00 m. Sunday-School.
2.30 p. m. Meeting of Juniors.
6.00 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E.
7.00 p. m. Praise service with address by the Pastor.
7.30 p. m. Thursday evening, prayer meeting.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH,

Rev. E. D. Lane, pastor. Services for next week.

10.30 a. m. Worship with sermon by pastor.
Sunday school to follow.
6.15 p. m. Epworth League.
7.30 p. m. Thursday evening, Prayer meeting.

Patrick Lynch has accepted a position in Amesbury.

Hazel Buck and Gladys Bates are ill with whooping cough.

H. W. Broacher has purchased the George Smith House on Oak St.

Mrs. Frank Morse of Andover spent Sunday with relatives in the Village.

Mrs. Esther A. Wilson has been spending several days with her son Howell F. Wilson.

Mrs. Mary Mears of Maynard spent Sunday with her nephew Joseph D. Russell, Center St.

Miss Frances McAvoy and Miss Mary McAvoy spent Sunday with relatives in Lawrence.

Miss Mary Reed and Miss Mamie Cronin of Lowell spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives in the Village.

William Shaw, secretary of the Y. P. S. C. E., sailed from New York last Saturday on a trip around the world in the interests of Christian Endeavor, to be gone until the first week in March, 1910. He will tour through India, China, Japan, and the Philippine Islands, attending conventions and making speeches in many of the cities and towns on his route. He will return to this country by way of California, speaking frequently through the West and South. All Mr. Shaw's Ballardvale friends wish him Godspeed on his journey.

Team Averages Well

The Ballard Vale Baseball team has finished its eighth consecutive season with a record of nine victories and seven defeats, which, all things being considered, is a very creditable showing. Manager Dane at the commencement of season had the hard task of replacing our star pitcher, Cronin, who had been signed by the Lawrence New England League Team. George was compelled to go into the box himself for the first two then was fortunate in securing Daniel Donovan, who pitched good ball until games, where he did good work. He threw his arm out in the Wood Mills game, which compelled him to stop pitching. The following table shows the work of our pitchers:

	Won	Lost	Average
Donovan,	6	4	.600
Dane,	3	2	.600
Cronin,	0	1	.000
Total,	9	7	

BATTING AVERAGES

	g.	ab.	r.	tb.	ave.	t.ave.	2b	3b
Magee	3	9	2	4	.444	.555	1	0
Larrabee	4	12	0	4	.400	.400	0	0
W. Wheatley	4	12	4	4	.333	.333	0	0
Dearborn	16	56	9	16	.286	.339	1	1
Ahern	15	61	17	16	.262	.262	0	0
Juhlmann	10	38	10	15	.263	.276	1	0
Garvin	10	33	11	8	.242	.266	0	0
Donovan	11	34	3	7	.206	.206	4	0
Daley	10	62	10	12	.161	.194	0	0
Dane	10	63	11	12	.159	.238	3	0
Ellisley	11	42	6	6	.143	.190	2	0
Dole	5	19	5	2	.105	.105	0	0

FIELDING AVERAGES

	po.	a.	e.	ave.	sb.	sh.	bb.
Dearborn rf. cf. c.	15	2	0	1.000	8	0	2
Magee rf. c.	13	5	0	1.000	1	0	1
Daley c. 3b.	126	42	9	.949	4	4	3
Dane p. s.s. 2b.	25	45	6	.921	3	1	2
Donovan p. 2b.	8	36	4	.917	1	3	3
Ellisley cf. 3b. lf.	13	8	2	.813	4	0	4
Juhlmann 1b.	60	8	7	.907	6	3	7
Larrabee lf. 3b.	7	1	2	.800	2	0	2
Ahern s.s. 2b.	20	33	19	.736	15	1	5
Dole lf.	3	2	2	.714	2	0	0
W. Wheatley lf.	2	0	1	.667	1	0	2
Garvin 3b. rf.	10	1	11	.500	2	0	5

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Punchard School Notes

Don't forget the Punchard-Woburn game this afternoon, on the playstead.

Show your loyalty by going and purchasing a ticket for 15 cents. All members of the school who sell fifteen tickets will be admitted free to the rest of the games this season, while those who sell twenty-five tickets will be entitled to a year's membership in the Athletic Association in addition to free admission to games.

Through the kindness of the School Committee a much needed shower bath will be installed shortly in the basement. This will be much appreciated in the school.

Punchard lately received from the Diamond Crystal Salt Co., a very interesting exhibit of salt in its various forms, which will be extremely useful in the department of Commercial Geography. The school will be glad to receive from time to time other exhibits from any manufacturing concern illustrating its particular processes and line of work.

The nominating committee for the Editorial board of the "Ensign" held its first meeting Thursday. The names of the new Editors will be announced later.

Arrangements are being made for the annual Halloween party of the student body and faculty. A committee consisting of three members from each class has the affair in charge. It consists of Eva Howell, Margaret English, James Anderson, Lester Towne, Archibald Tyler, Lois Spickler, Annie Hackett, William Haigh, Edward O'Connell, Dorothy Jaquith, John Sullivan, Ruth Temple.

Meeting of the McAll Auxiliary

The annual meeting of the McAll Auxiliary will be held at the house of Miss Agnes Park on Thursday, Oct. 28, at four o'clock.

AGNES PARK, Secretary

Obituary

CALEB CONVERSE GARDNER
Caleb Converse Gardner of Salem, a former resident of Ballardvale, died last week, Wednesday, at No. Ferrisburg, Vt., where he and his wife were making a visit. The cause of death was a cerebral hemorrhage. The deceased was 55 years old and was born in Tewksbury. For the last 25 years he has been in passenger train service of the Boston & Maine railroad, and was quite widely known having a large circle of friends and acquaintances. Besides his wife he leaves two sisters, Mrs. Harvey James of Newton, Mrs. Sarah Copp of Beverly, and one brother Henry J. Gardner of Ballardvale to mourn his loss. The funeral was held last Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock from his late home 17 North St., Salem and was largely attended. Interment was in the family lot in Salem.

Manager Dane has handled the finances in an exceptionally able manner and proved to be a very capable manager. Magee leads the batting but Dearborn who played in all 16 of the games has the fine average of .286 and a perfect fielding average. Ahern leads in runs scored, 17, and in bases stolen 15. Henry Platt, Willis B. Hodgkins, James Clinton umpired in a very satisfactory manner. Following is the complete official batting and fielding averages of all players who have played in three or more games:

MORTGAGEE'S SALE

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Krikor Assioun, of Andover, in the County of Essex, and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to the Essex Savings Bank, a corporation having its place of business in Lawrence, in said County of Essex, and Commonwealth, dated January 8, 1907, and recorded with North Essex Registry of Deeds, Book 241, Page 418, will be sold at public auction on the premises, on Monday, the FIFTEENTH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1909, at THREE O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON, for breach of condition, said mortgage, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely:—

Seven tracts of land, with the buildings thereon, situated in said Andover, the first parcel consisting of wood land and meadow is situated in that part of Andover known as the West Parish, on the Southwesterly side of the road leading to the dwelling-house of Joshua H. Chandler, and is bounded and described as follows:—Beginning at a stake in the brook by land of Joseph Chandler; thence by said brook and land of Joseph Chandler, South 83 1/2° West, one and 49/100 chains; South 76° West, 90/100 chains; South 57° West, two and 10/100 chains; South 65 3/4° West, one and 40/100 chains; South 47° West, two chains; South 80° West, twelve and 97/100 chains to a wall at land now or formerly of Phelps; thence by said land of Phelps as the wall stands North 48° West, 68/100 chains; thence Southwesterly by the said land and wall ten and 81/100 chains to a corner of land of A. D. Shattuck, now or formerly; thence Northwesterly by land of said Shattuck and E. W. Goldsmith sixteen and 6/100 chains to a stake at the end of the wall; thence by land of said Goldsmith, North 70° East, five and 77/100 chains to land of Forsyth; thence by land of the said Forsyth as the wall and fence now stand Northwesterly eleven and 84/100 chains to a corner; thence by the said land Northwesterly as the wall and fence stand six and 78/100 chains to a corner; thence by the same land North 83 1/2° East, three and 21/100 chains to a stake and stones at the road aforesaid; thence by said road Southeasterly 15 and 87/100 chains to a stake; thence by the fence, the land now or formerly of Joshua Chandler South 16° West, four and 91/100 chains; and South three and 25/100 chains to the stake in the brook first mentioned. Saving and excepting from said parcel, however, the parcel comprising three and one hundred twenty-seven rods conveyed by Elder C. Chandler to John White, by deed dated January 16, 1902, and recorded with North Essex Registry of Deeds, Book 191, Page 256. For more particular description of said parcel conveyed to John White, as aforesaid, see said deed.

The second parcel is situated on the South side of the road leading to South Andover, and is bounded and described as follows:—Commencing at a corner of the wall by said road and at land formerly of Joshua H. Chandler; thence by said road South 54° East, two and 58/100 rods to a stake and stones; thence by said road South 74 1/2° East, two and 20/100 rods; thence still by said road South 58 3/4° East, one and 43/100 rods to land now or once of J. Merrill; thence by said Merrill's land South 22° West, two and 71/100 rods; thence South 19 1/2° West, two rods; thence South 12 1/2° West, four and 28/100 rods to land now or once of one Brown; thence North 83 1/2° West to a corner of the wall; thence South 16 1/2° West, three and 74/100 rods to land of Chandler; thence by land of said Phelps North 65° West, one and 80/100 rods; thence North 66 1/2° West, one and 86/100 rods to land of Joshua Chandler; thence by said other land of said Chandler North 7° East, three and 65/100 rods; thence North 16 1/2° West, three and 86/100 rods to a corner of the wall still by land of the said Joshua H. Chandler; thence North 72 1/2° East, two rods; thence North 68 1/2° East, two and 30/100 rods; thence North 5 1/2° East, two rods; thence North 17° East, four and 35/100 rods to the point of beginning. Being that parcel of land known as the Ox Pasture and containing eight and forty-seven rods more or less, however the same is bounded and described.

The third parcel is situated on the South side of the road leading to South Andover, and is bounded:—Beginning at a corner of the wall by said road and other land now or once of the said Joshua H. Chandler; thence running by said road South 2 1/2° East, two and 30/100 rods; thence by said road South 24 1/2° East, 29/100 rods; thence by said road as the wall stands and by various courses to a corner of the wall by second parcel above described; thence South 17° West, and again South 5 1/2° West by said second parcel to a corner of the wall; thence South 68 1/2° West by said second parcel and again South 73 3/4° West to a corner of the wall; thence South by various courses by said second parcel to land now or once of Chandler Phelps; thence by Phelps' land North 66° West, twelve and 30/100 rods to the road leading from West Parish Church to Lawrence; thence North 24° West by said road to a corner of the wall at other land now or once of the said Joshua H. Chandler; thence East by other land now or once of the said Chandler to the point of beginning, by the road leading to South Andover. Containing twenty-seven acres and two rods more or less, and being known as the South Field.

The fourth parcel is bounded and described as follows:—Beginning at a corner of the wall by said road to South Andover and land formerly of J. Merrill; thence on a Northwesterly direction by various courses by said road to a corner of the wall at a turn in the road; thence in a North and Northwesterly direction by various courses to the road leading to the house formerly owned by R. Winning; thence Northeast by said Winning's road by various courses to a corner of the wall by said road; and land of said Winning; thence in a Southeasterly direction by various courses to said Merrill land; thence in a Southwesterly direction by various courses to the point of beginning. Containing five acres more or less, and being the parcel known as the North Field, and is the parcel upon which the buildings stand.

The sixth parcel is bounded and described as follows:—Beginning at a corner of the wall by land now or once of Joseph Chandler and the road leading from the West Parish Church to Lawrence, and on the Westerly side of said road; thence in a Northwesterly direction by various courses by said Joseph Chandler's land to a corner of the wall; thence Northwest 49° West nine and 75/100 rods by said Joseph Chandler's land to a corner of the wall; thence North 2° West, seven and 95/100 rods still by said Joseph Chandler's land to a stake in the brook; thence North by land now or formerly of Joshua H. Chandler to a stake and stones; thence North 16° East, four and 91/100 rods to a stake and stones in the corner of the fence by an old road; thence in a Southeasterly direction by various courses by said road to the said road leading from Lawrence to the West Parish Church; thence by said West Parish Church road South 24° East, eighteen and 64/100 rods to the point of beginning. Containing thirty-five acres and one hundred and thirty-nine rods, more or less, and being known as the Farm Pasture.

The seventh parcel, containing about six acres and one hundred and fifty-five rods and covered with young growth of and stones at the Northeast corner of said parcel at land now or once of Artemus Brown; thence in a Southeasterly direction by said West Parish Church road thirty-two rods and eight links to a stake and stones; thence in a Northwesterly direction by the road leading from the West Parish Church Road to the River Road to Lowell, about eighty-three rods and seven links to land of Hermon Barnard; thence North 40 1/2° East, by said Barnard's land about one rod and eighteen links to a stake and stones; thence South 82° East seventy-two rods and twenty-two links by land of Artemus Brown to the point of beginning. Two hundred dollars will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale. Further terms will be announced at sale.

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ANDOVER NEWS

A number of Andover young men are already taking advantage of the splendid courses offered at the Lawrence Industrial School evenings.

Clarence Delaney has entered the employ of the Mosgrove barber shop this week.

William T. Rea, driver in the local fire department, is enjoying his annual vacation at present.

The Andover Water Works men are now working on the upper end of Chestnut street, extending the water mains from Avon street to Carter's Hill.

Rev. Frederick Palmer gave a very interesting illustrated lecture on "Egypt" last evening before the Brotherhood of Lawrence St. Congregational church in Lawrence.

The semi-annual meeting of the Men's Club of Christ Church was held last evening. The speaker was Jacob T. Choate of Amesbury, who spoke on "American Orators and Oratory."

Dana Chase is exhibiting two turnips of unusual size which he raised in his garden. One weighs 8 3/4 pounds and other 6 1/2.

Miss Anne Coleman is at present working in the Phillips Academy office.

Through the Rogers Real Estate Agency the house on Chestnut street which was formerly owned by the trustees of the Andover Theological Seminary and occupied by Mrs. Batchelor has been sold to Mrs. Alexander L. Grant, wife of Ex-Mayor Grant of Lawrence. The property in Ballard Vale owned by George E. Smith of West Haven, Conn., has been bought by W. H. Broacher.

Charles F. Flanders, who is to be married on Sunday, October 24, was presented at 12 o'clock today with a traveling bag given him by his friends and business acquaintances in town.

Rev. C. P. Osborne of Boston will speak at the Free Church on Sunday Evening at 7.30 o'clock upon the work of the Boston Seamen's Friend Society. An hour of great interest is assured all who attend.

Castle Winchester K. O. K. A. of the Free Church will begin its regular meetings on Monday Evening November 1st.

Two new pupils have recently entered Punchard, Mr. Porter, from Hudson, N. Y., has entered the Sophomore class, while to the Freshmen has been added Miss Jane Switzer of Newton.

The committee for the Senior play which will probably be given after Christmas, consists of Anderson, Kyle, and Misses English, Howell and Jenkins.

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